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Bailey, Noted Gunman, In Dallas Jail

Federal Agents Will Ask $100,000 Bond.

Shrouded in secrecy, federal agencies in Dallas are moving swiftly and relentlessly forward in their efforts to pin two major crimes upon Harvey Bailey, escaped convict and gunman held in Dallas county jail.

Bailey and four others held for the abduction of Charles F. Urschel, Oklahoma City oil man, were to be arraigned at 2 p. m. Wednesday before United States Commissioner Lee R. Smith in a special hearing at the county jail. United States Assistant Attorney Joe Jones represented the government at the hearing. It was understood that a $100,000 bond would be asked for Bailey, $50,000 bonds for each of the other four.

Federal warrants for Bailey and the four Shannons for the kidnaping of Urschel arrived in Dallas Tuesday afternoon from Oklahoma City.

ELECT OFFICERS AT MEETING OF LOCAL GOLFERS

McKinney golfers, at a meeting held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Tuesday night, discussed Hill Crest club plans for another year and elected officers and directors to serve that organization the next twelve months.

Sponsored by the McKinney Junior Chamber of Commerce, committees canvassed the city recently in an effort to secure the names of seventy-five golfers who would pledge $12.50, which would make possible the continuation of Hill Crest club for another twelve months. The committee met with considerable success, so much so that a meeting was called for Tuesday night to elect officers and formulate plans for another year's activity of the McKinney club.

Lewis Graves was chairman of Tuesday night's meeting, naming as a nominating committee W. L. Brown, Leon Moses and Elton Riggs. They nominated the following directors, who were unanimously elected: Lovejoy Comegys, Frank W. Smith, Earl Walker, Lewis Graves, C. H. Hay, W. Byron Hope and W. L. Brown.

From the seven directors, the following officers were then chosen: Byron Hope, president; Earl Walker, vice president; W. L. Brown, secretary-treasurer.

Hill Crest club boasts one of the prettiest and best-kept golf courses in North Texas and draws golfers not only from McKinney and over Collin county, but from Dallas and other surrounding cities as well. The greens were recently re-worked and made new by Buford Welch, caretaker, the fairways are in excellent condition and it is a pleasure to play nine or eighteen holes on this splendid course.

Rev. H. G. Ryan, presiding elder of the McKinney district, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, made a forceful and much-appreciated talk at Melissa Monday night in favor of prohibition, the retention of the Eighteenth amendment and the outlawry of beer. He spoke in the Melissa tabernacle, and was heard by a large crowd, all of whom praised his remarks. Following his address, Rev. Ryan took a rising vote on the question, the entire audience rising when asked how many favored prohibition.

Mrs. Ralph E. Frazier and daughter, Miss Sarah, left Wednesday for Chicago to attend the Century of Progress, expecting to be there for a week or ten days. They were accompanied from Sherman by Prof. L. T. Cook, superintendent of the Sherman Public schools, wife and daughter, Miss Dorothy. Prof. Cook and Prof. Frazier and families were intimate friends and associates at Breckenridge where Prof. Cook was formerly city school superintendent before moving to Sherman and where Prof. Frazier was director of band music in the high school for seven years.

Mrs. G. B. Foster of Dallas and niece, Miss Agnes Foster, of Canton, Texas, spent Tuesday in McKinney as guests of J. M. Foster and family.

Weather

TEMPERATURE.

90 degrees at 3:30 p. m. Tues-[illegible]

MERCHANT AT PROSPER DIES WEDNESDAY

M. M. McElhannon, 52, of Prosper, died at the McKinney City hospital at 5 o'clock last (Wednesday) morning after a week's illness. He was a native of Denton county, but had resided in West Collin most of his life.

The deceased had been engaged in the mercantile business in Prosper for the past thirty years. He was the youngest child of the late Rev. M. B. McElhannon, Methodist minister, and of Mrs. M. B. McElhannon, now in her 94th year, who resides with another son, J. D. McElhannon at Prosper.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Eschol Lipscomb of Prosper; his aged mother, Mrs. M. B. McElhannon, of Prosper; two brothers and one sister, J. D. McElhannon of Prosper, R. E. L. McElhannon of Costa Mesa, Calif., and Mrs. Anna Tompkins, who lives on the old family homestead, five miles west of Prosper.

He was a member of the Methodist church.

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock (Thursday) afternoon, with furial following in the Good Hope cemetery in Denton county. The C. C. Harris Funeral home had charge of funeral arrangements.

PROF. FRAZIER MAKES OFFER TO SOME BOY

Prof. Ralph E. Frazier, director of the McKinney High School band, has a first-class bass horn that he will loan to some young boy who is ambitious to play in that band.

Prof. Frazier prefers loaning it to some boy who doesn't have to go out for football practice, which would interfere with his band practice. Of course, Prof. Frazier says he, himself, is a football fan, but his band practice must go on regularly every Tuesday and Thursday from 9 a. m. until 4 p. m. regardless of other calls so that he can have his band organized and trained to such a degree that it will reflect real credit upon our public school system as a whole.

It seems to us that Prof. Frazier is offering an exceedingly attractive opportunity to some young boy—bass horn free to play on and free instruction, no cost in an way.

Prof. Frazier's band also needs four more trombone players, either girls or boys. We urge our musically inclined school boys and girls to interview Prof. Frazier at once.

Our genial and efficient band director is going to have a high school band that will surprise the town by its efficiency by the time school opens Monday, Sept. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John Enloe, accompanied by Roy Cox, have returned from a trip to West Texas and New Mexico. Mrs. Enloe accompanied them as far as Olney, Messrs. Cox and Enloe going on to Clayton, New Mexico, where Mr. Enloe has land holdings. They returned by Olney picking up Mrs. Enloe and bringing her on to McKinney. Mr. Enloe says that the feed crop at Clayton is short, although they have recently planted several crops after good rains. However, Old Collin is the best-looking county they passed through on their trip, they state.

R. G. Piner, traveling freight representative of the Texas & Pacific railway was in McKinney Wednesday looking after the interests of his railway system. Mr. Piner is one of the most prominent and influential citizens, civic and church leaders of Sherman.

Dr. E. L. Burton made a professional trip to Dallas Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Peggy Flake has returned to her home in Dallas after a few days' visit with Misses Frances and Kathryn Foster in this city.

Mrs. Manly Beard and two two daughters, Mises Annie Lee and Lorene, left McKinney Wednesday for their home at Estelline, Hall county, Texas, where Mrs. Beard has a large cattle ranch and is known as a successful ranch woman. She looks after her property and cattle and manages her own business affairs. She uses a Ford auto to get about over her ranch property. She and her daughters had been in McKinney visiting her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jim W. McKinney, and husband for the week. Her daughter, Miss Lorene, is in Texas for a summer vacation from the University of Southern California at Los Angeles, which she has been attending for the past three years. She will return to California right away to [illegible]

Will Form High School Orchestra

Prof. Frazier Anxious To Meet With Violinists.

Prof. Ralph E. Frazier, director of the McKinney High School band, is now ready to consult with pupils, who play the violin, relative to incorporating them in a high school orchestra composed of various musical instruments. He would draw on his high school band for such other instruments joining them in the orchestra with the violinists. He is very anxious to consummate the organization of a school orchestra by the time city schools open about the first Monday in September. He thinks there are several violin players among the pupils of the various schools of the city and is anxious to get in touch with them.

STOLEN CAR OF T. M. SCOTT IS RECOVERED

The car of T. M. Scott, which was stolen from in front of his home on West Tucker street Saturday at noon, was recovered in Dallas Monday by officers. It is believed that the car was abandoned there by the thieves, since the linings in all the brakes had been burned out and the car considerably damaged otherwise. Mr. Scott went to Dallas Tuesday night, bringing his car back. It is now being repaired.

Local officers have no clue as to the identity of the thieves but are working on the case.

Miss Edwin Sue Goree, state library organizer, spent Monday afternoon in McKinney conferring with Mrs. E. L. Burton and Mrs. J. L. Lovejoy and assisting Miss Faye Wilcox, librarian, plan her work for the winter. Miss Gorree is experienced in library work and her visits to McKinney are always enjoyed by members of the City Federation, sponsors of McKinney's Public library, and other friends of that organization.

W. G. Thomas and sister, Miss Catherine, of San Antonio, are visiting their brothers, John W. and Jim P. Thomas, and families.

A. E. (Ott) Robison was mixing and mingling with McKinney friends here Wednesday from Prosper.

Mrs. H. D. Jones and little daughter, Naomi, of Wichita Falls and Mrs. Effie Davis of Dallas are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hope. The latter and Mesdames Jones and Davis are all sisters.

Mrs. A. M. Wolford and children, Miss Miriam, John Lane, Albert and Eleanor and Mr. and Mrs. Phil Wolferd are spending Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. K. Dale Wolford in Bonham.

METHODISTS IN REVIVAL AT WHITE'S GROVE

Several from McKinney are attending the White's Grove Methodist revival, which has been in progress now for the past week. Rev. F. L. McGown of Allen is doing the preaching, while Mrs. McGown is song leader and Miss Geneva Talbot, pianist. The revival is attracting unusually good-sized crowds with much interest shown by residents of that and other nearby communities.

Members of other denominations are assisting in making the revival a success. Large crowds from the Mt. Olive Baptist church are attending and using their influence to make the revival one of the best ever held in the White's Grove community.

CELINA MASS MEETING HELD MONDAY NIGHT

Add G. Wilson, city commissioner, who was recently appointed chairman of the Collin County Relief commission: J. H. Merritt, president of the McKinney Chamber of Commerce, and W. Hammond Moore, secretary of that organization and administrator of the Collin County Relief committee, by invitation, all went over to Celina Monday night and addressed a mass meeting of citizens under the tabernacle there on the Refinance corporation, the National Recovery act, the unemployment government measures and Federal Public works relief activities.

The meeting resolved itself into a round table discussion. A good attendance was present at the meeting at which Mayor Francis presided. G. V. Bray, who has been on the county R. F. C. executive committee, also made a talk and attorney R. E. L. Miller, a member of the recently appointed Collin County Relief committee to succeed the old R. F. C. county organization, was also introduced.

The McKinney men are doing a patriotic service for the government in aiding in the relief activities of various kind sponsored by President Roosevelt.

Henry Camp Harris of Dallas was a McKinney business visitor today (Wednesday). These editors have long known Henry Camp Harris. He is the son of a pioneer Texas newspaper man, Senator E. W. Harris, who represented this district in the senate for several years while editor of the Greenville Daily Herald. Henry was born in Greenville, moving to Dallas more than twenty years ago, engaging in the life insurance business, being one of the most successful men in this line of work in Texas. He is a fine man and these editors were pleased to have a social visit from him while in this city.

Mrs. Dana McShan of Bryan is a guest of her sister, Miss Mary McDonald.

A. M. Scott had business in Dallas Tuesday.

J. E. Davis was here from Blue Ridge.

REELING DRUNK MEN AND WOMEN ON STREETS IN MAINE SINCE REPEAL

LADY AT PORTLAND CONTRASTS CONDITIONS WITH PROHIBITION DAYS IN LETTER TO McKINNEY FRIEND—MANY IN THAT STATE HANGING HEADS IN SHAME.

A representative of this paper saw a personal letter recently directed to a McKinney friend by a Maine woman voter, giving somewhat of a bird's-eye condition of the state of affairs in that pioneer prohibition state which recently voted for repeal and legalized the sale of beer. This is the first time that intoxicating liquor has been licensed in the state of Maine for about sixty years. The following paragraphs from the above referred to letter will indicate to our readers some of the results that will reasonably follow Texas' reversion to the licensed liquor regime again if the state votes for repeal and for beer at the forthcoming statewide election on the subject on August 26:

She says that "Maine is sad and sick at heart already. I have seen more than one of them drop his head in sad meditation as the cars we were riding in had to pass under the glaring beer banners stretched across the road wherever we went.

"It is sold in every conceivable kind of place, cafeterias, oyster bars, roadside vegetable stands, [illegible]

of the Tammany origination and personal ambitions, it looks like we must take this awful step backwards. Repeal will build up the most powerful political machine our country has ever known. The corruption that it will bring in its work is not now conceivable, I am sure, by the most antagonistic enemy of prohibition."

"What price the long years of toil and sacrifice of our scientists to stamp out the white plague and other terrible diseases to save men's bodies if supreme selfishness of some of his brother men cause these to cultivate and nourish a black plague (drunkenness) that will not only consume the bodies of his fellow beings but also will endanger their souls."

"I wish with all my soul that every Texan could see what beer has done to the grand old state of Maine. I have been going to Portland and all over the state of Maine during 21 years—I know they had "speaks" and much rum running, but I never saw a drunken man on the streets of Portland in all these years until this summer. One evening as I was walking up Congress street [illegible]

R. M. COX BACK FROM HIS OLD TENNESSEE HOME

Our long-time friend, R. M. Cox, of Chambersville, was in McKinney Tuesday. He informed us that he and his son, Bob Taylor Cox, and wife of Dallas had just returned from a ten-day motor trip to his old home at Piney Flats, Sullivan county, Tennessee, where he was born and reared. He moved from there to Texas nearly forty years ago and has spent most of that long period in Collin county in the community where he still lives.

He visited two married sisters in Sullivan county—Mrs. John Jeter and Mrs. Lou Saunders; also an uncle and aunt and numerous cousins and other relatives. Mrs. John Jeter and husband formerly lived at Weston, where Mr. Jeter was mail carrier for ten or twelve years before resigning and moving back to their old Tennessee home. These editors were especially glad to hear from our good old-time friend Jeter, one of the finest fellows whom we ever knew. We still think he made a mistake when he moved away from our county to return to Tennessee and would like to see him move back.

Mr. Cox, his son and daughter-in-law, went by Hot Springs, Arkansas, and visited the old battlefield at Chickamauga, where his father fought on the Confederate side in that famous battle of the Civil war.

They also visited Lookout mountain where another battle was fought and from the top of which he could see into seven different states. They also visited relatives at Bristol, Virginia.

Mr. Cox states that business conditions seem to be better in the part of Tennessee that he visits than here in Texas.

In his old home county, farm dairying has been highly developed and tobacco is the money crop. The latter crop is a very promising one at the present time.

He found a splendid apple crop now maturing in Tennessee and had the privilege of helping to make cider and drinking once more some of this genuine pure homemade delicious product for which that apple country is noted.

FARM CREDIT REPRESENTATIVE IN M'KINNEY

W. A. Culberson of the Farm Credit Administration Crop Production Loan office at Dallas, under Owen W. Sherrill, as regional manager for Texas, Arizona and New Mexico, was in McKinney Tuesday, attending a meeting of field men in that line of federal relief and co-operation with farmers in this section of the state.

Mr. Culberson is field supervisor for the counties of Collin, Fannin, Hunt and Delta. This editor had the pleasure of forming his acquaintance and talking to him relative to our mutual friend, Carl Gallagher, formerly of the news and advertising staffs of these papers, but for nearly two years, office supervisor crop production loan office for Arizona and New Mexico. In recent months, Mr. Gallagher has been at the Dallas headquarters, but was formerly located in the work at Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Last year, Collin county had in the neighborhood of seventy-five loans in the crop production end of the Farm Credit Administration, but this year has 157 says Mr. Culberson.

Mr. Culberson's home is at Greenville. The Culberson family name is an honored one in the annals of Texas history. Mr. Culberson's afther is Dave Culberson who lives at Gatesville. He is a cousin of the late United States Senator Chas. A. Culberson and a nephew and namesake of the late Judge Dave Culberson, noted Texas congressman and statesman, father of former governor and United States Senator C. A Culberson.

Bob Gordon, wife and little daughter, are visiting relatives at San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pruett and daughter, Miss Margaret, were recent visitors in Waco, visiting their son and brother, Kermit, a student in Baylor university. Kermit will enter Baylor Medical school in Dallas this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murray and sons, Crosby and Jack, of Mohawk, Tenn., have arrived for a visit with Mr. Murray's sister, Mrs. H. E. Holland and family. Miss Willie Mae Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holland, is taking her annual vacation from her duties as saleslady with the J. C. Penney company, that she may more thoroughly enjoy the visit of her Tennessee relatives. Thursday morning, Miss Holland and Mr. Murray drove [illegible]

VISITORS FROM TENNESSEE ARE HONORED HERE

A happy reunion of relatives and friends was held in Finch park in McKinney Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock, the occasion being in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murray and sons, Crosby and Jack, of Mohawk, Tenn., who are here visiting Mr. Murray's sister, Mrs. H. E. Holland and family and numerous other relatives here and over the county.

One long table was arranged for the bounteous picnic supper which fairly groaned beneath its burden of delicacies which had been prepared to tempt the appetites of the many happy friends and relatives present. The picnic supper consisted of baked ham, fried chicken, salads, sandwiches, cakes, pies and numerous other foods, all thoroughly enjoyed. The Coco-Cola band, composed of Claud Neely, Lynn Boorman, Noah Majors, Otho Combest and T. D. Neely, furnished music for the occasion, and the evening was happily spent in a social good time by all present.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Murray and sons of Mohawk, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. Dowden Davis and daughter; Austin Hall, Miss Ida Hall, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Holland and children of Melissa; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Chaney, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hartman; Lee Cook and daughter, Miss Agnes; Mrs. Pharr, Misses Gertrude Lindley, Bill Hall, Mrs. Bettie Sandford, W. A. Lindley, Mrs. Nan Harris and son, Harold, of Knoxville, Tenn.; Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Neely and little son, Tommy Lynn; Miss Gladys Chaney; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellenburg, Lynn Boorman, Miss Sue L. Sullivan, Miss Lorena Duncan, Henry Ralph Hill, Mrs. Edd Cogburn and daughters, Lorene and Nannie Belle; Claud Neely, Noah Majors, Otho Combest, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Hart and Miss Ruth Simmerly, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Holland and daughter, Willie Mae.

How's your wife's fall garden since the fine rain?

CONNALLY POINTS TO ACHIEVEMENTS UNDER NEW DEAL

"Five months of the new deal" was discussed Monday night by Senator Tom Connally of Texas over a nation-wide radio hook-up of the National Broadcasting system. The address was heard in Texas through WFAA and WBAP broadcasting stations from 8 to 8:15 o'clock. The administration's approach to the economic situation was planned, he said, before it took office. Senator Connally pointed out that approximately $1,000,000,000 was cut from government expenses and within a reasonable time the budget will be balanced.

Tracing the effect of the new deal, Senator Connally explained the Republican administration failed to keep its promise to the American farmer and when it left the government cotton was selling for 6c, whereas July 13 the price was 10.6c and wheat went from 34.5c to 87c during the same period.

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Pledges Are Redeemed.

"We have seen five months of the new deal, months of life and action," said Senator Connally in part. "No finer record of presidential and congressional achievement can be found in the history of the Republic. The president and congress redeemed their pledges to the people. Contrast that with Republican failure. It has in truth been a new deal.

"Confidence has returned and the national credit has been preserved. The farm bill has worked and is still working to lift farm prices. The dollar is cheaper and prices are higher. Employment is increasing and business is improving. Throughout the whole economic structure healthy blood is beginning to flow.

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Routing Depression.

"From the moment Franklin Roosevelt answered the challenge of events immediately following his inauguration and boldly acted in the banking crsis he caught the imagination of the American people and captivated their confidence. It was a happy omen of the months that followed, a splendid augury of the feature.

"When Franklin Roosevelt entered the White House, the armies of depression were all around us. For years they have besieged us. Roosevelt seized the standard of the people, they trusted him and they rallied around the flag of liberalism which he held aloft. United behind him they are scattering the evil forces that threatened their safety and are driving from our gates."

Mrs. Ray C. Chapman has returned to her home in Huntsville after a visit to her mother, Mrs. W. H. [illegible]

Joint Meeting of Government Relief Leaders Held Here

Old R. F. C. Organization Here Is Superseded By Another Appointed By Governor Ferguson.

An important joint meeting was held Monday afternoon, in the Chamber of Commerce between the old and new county committees administering the R. F. C. direct relief and unemployment activities for the county.

The old R. F. C. committee composed of T. E. Craig, county chairman, F. D. Perkins of McKinney, G. V. Bray of Celina, Joe Aston of Farmersville and Mayor A. R. Schell Jr. of Plano sat in with the new Collin county relief committee that succeeds them with Add G. Wilson of McKinney, chairman; Joe Aston of Farmersville, vice chairman; R. E. L. Miller of Celina; Tom Airhart of Valdasta and J. H. Gulledge of Plano.

The new Collin County Relief committee was recently appointed by Governor Ferguson and are to be henceforth charged with the responsibility of directing the state and federal direct relief and unemployment activities in this county. They have appointed W. Hammond Moore, county administrator, on account of his familiarity with the work which he had largely to do with under the old R. F. C. organization in every part of the county.

W. B. Mantooth is county inspector under the new organization. City Commissioner C. M. Bryan represented the absent mayor of the city at the meeting. County Judge J. Frank Harrington was also present and participated in the meeting.

STABILIZATION OF COTTON AT 16 CENTS

Federal stabilization of the cotton market at 16 cents a pound was sought by a meeting of Texas cotton farmers in Austin Saturday. J. E. McDonald, Texas commissioner of agriculture, was instructed by the organization to go to Washington immediately to confer with federal officials on provisions of the proposed code.

He also was requested to invite agricultural commissioners and leading cotton farmers of the South to join him in pressing for immediate stabilization of the cotton market through government action.

McDonald probably will leave at once for Washington.

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Suggest 16 Cents.

A resolution stating that the declining cotton market would prove disastrous to the south unless checked, was adopted. It suggested 16c a pound as a price at which farmers could pay their obligations and provide for their families on the rising commodity market.

It was the sense of the organization that any plan, however radical, be employed to stem the declining market and advance it to an adequate price level.

"I have plowed up 50 per cent of my cotton and if necessary I will plow up all the rest of it," McDonald said, his assertion meeting with a response of "so will we" from the audience.

Other resolutions adopted proposed:

That the cotton plow-up campaign be extended if necessary.

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Ask Lower Interest Rate.

That provision be made for farmers to borrow money at low rates of interest with their cotton as security to enable them to hold their crop and prevent its being placed on a disorderly market.

That the government acquire a substantial portion of the surplus and apply it to uses not in competition with their cotton as security to enable them to hold their crop and prevent its being placed on a disorderly market.

That the government acquire a substantial portion of the surplus and apply it to uses not in competition with the new crop.

That a permanent plan be devised to govern agricultural production next year.

R. L. Batts was elected president and George Walling Jr. secretary. Both reside in Austin.

Miss Edna Sportsman is visiting friends in Denton.

William Rhea, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Rhea, and James Ernest Wilson, son of Ernest Wilson, have gone to Chicago where they will spend several days sightseeing and attending the World's fair.

Mrs. A. M. Russell presented a big basket of beautiful zinnias to her good neighbor and friends, Mrs. F. M. Warden, who has not been well recently but is now some better. Mrs. Russell obtained these beautiful vari-colored, popular blooms from plants that occupied a cotton row along side the public road, northwest of McKinney, in a cotton field that is under the cap-[illegible]

MORE COTTON CONSUMPTION SINCE 1929-30

For the season just closed, the world consumed 1,718,000 more bales of cotton than it had since 1929-30, according to the New York Cotton exchange.

During the 12 months ended July 31 world spinners used approximately 24,725,000 bales compared with 23,007,000 in the previous season.

The increase of 1,718,000 bales in consumption of all growths from 1931-32 to 1932-33 was almost entirely due, said the exchange service, to the large increase in the use of American staple, which rose from 12,506,000 bales to 14,122,000. Consumption of foreign cottons rose but slightly, from 10,501,000 bales to 10,593,000.

The service reported the world's carryover of all kinds of cotton on July 31 at approximately 15,530,000 bales on the basis of preliminary returns against 17,412,000 a year ago.

B. D. Robison, a young banker with the First National bank at Pampa, Texas, has our thanks for a dollar, renewing his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription to August 1, 1934. B. D. was born and reared near McKinney and has a host of relatives and old home county friends here in whom he is interested and loves to read about in our paper every week.

The County Commissioners' court is in session this week, attending to routine business. County Judge J. Frank Harrington is presiding.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From The Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

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Frank G. Dowell, manager of the McKinney Realty company, has returned from a business trip to Greenville.

Tom Goodner, paying teller of the Collin County National bank, is spending his vacation at Eureka Springs, Arkansas.

R. A. Gregory, prominent Prosper merchant, wife and children, are here attending the picnic today.

J. B. Foy, well-known McKinney citizen, renews his subscription for another year in advance.

George Sallee, a young Denton railroader and gentleman, is mingling with the old (?) Collin County settlers during the picnic and is enjoying it.

M. E. Mallow of Lebanon is here today attending the big picnic. He is one of the delegates to the congressional convention soon to be held.

J. L. Kerr announces that the Walnut Grove camp meeting is a great success. Evangelists Hendricks and Carter have already had thirty-five conversions up until yesterday.

Miss Jessye Moore of Melissa had the misfortune to lose a valuable gold bracelet on the picnic grounds last evening. She will pay a liberal reward for its return to this office.

Chet Baldwin, the aeronaut, made one of the prettiest balloon flights ever witnessed at the picnic last evening. Mr. Baldwin landed via parachute nearly a mile from the picnic grounds. This evening a lady, [illegible]

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Three months in advance	1.50
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One year in advance	5.00

DAILY BY MAIL IN TEXAS

One month	.50
Three months	1.25
Six Months	2.25
One year	4.00

DAILY BY MAIL OUT OF STATE

One month	$ .50
Three months	1.25
Six months	2.50
One year	5.00

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17, 1933.

EDITORIAL EXPRESSION

Did you know that Col. W. E. Taibot, of Dallas, former Republican candidate for governor and the greatest booster in the state for Texas products, was a high ranking officer in the famous Forty-Second or "Rainbow Division" of the A. E. F. during the World's War?

W. G. Carlisle, upon recommendation of Congressman Sam Rayburn, was recently appointed Acting Postmaster at Plano, succeeding R. D. Dunn who will remain as his assistant. Mr. Carlisle is a son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Carlisle, was reared at Plano and has been associated with his father in the grocery business since he finished school there.

The "Half Century Club," composed of Collin people who have been its residents for at least fifty years, is becoming one of the most popular of organizations of old timers in North Texas. There are only a few Confederate veterans and this "Half Century Club," which meets each year during the McKinney picnic, will in the end become the central honorees of this celebration. This organization numbers many of our most prominent and influential older citizens.

The government's cotton acreage reduction campaign has not only made it possible for the farmer to get more money, but it has led to his son again thinking of education. Registration inquiries at North Texas Junior Agricultural College, at Arlington, are double the figure a year ago. "Twelve-cent cotton and high priced wheat will mean that the farmer's son comes back to college this fall," said C. H. Kiber, the agricultural department chairman.

Let the wets defend the right to take the drink that intoxicates, that absorbs earnings, and dislodges reason and the moral sense; let them uphold, the privilege of debauchery. Above such right and privilege, the drys place, the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act and the vast majority of the American people I believe in the end will place especially when they take action on the Eighteenth Amendment itself, the rights of women and children to decent homes, decent clothing, adequate education, a decent healthful and hopeful standard of existence above what may be called the right of appetite.—United States Senator Morris Sheppard.

We often hear of "the good old days" spoken of as better than these modern times of bootleggers and hijackers. Yet, do actual facts sustain the claim? For fifty years the Civil war, saloons, flourished. Drunks were seen on the streets of every town and village every day in the year. Gambling and houses of prostitution were prevalent on every side. During the fifteen years following the Civil war, probably fifty to sixty men were murdered in the Lee-Peacock feud that raged in an area that embraced the corners of four counties—Northeast Collin, Northwest Hunt, Southeast Grayson and Southwest Fannin. Other crimes were also prevalent in that era such as stage robbery, cattle and horse stealing. Now in this same territory a staggering drunk man on the street or highway is a curiosity. There are no public drinking joints, no licensed gambling dens or bawdy houses and there are ten churches and schools now to where one could be found then. Nope, we are not pining for "ye good olden days" to return again.

Collin county soil will produce as large a variety of farm products perhaps as any soil in the United States. In recent years it has demonstrated that the best quality of onions known in the country are produced right here. P. L. Miller, an east Collin onion dealer and grower, in the last two or three years has also demonstrated the feasibility of growing onion seed on a commercial basis. Formerly it was thought that this was possible only in Teneriffe Island. He had 100 acres in this crop this year. After they had gone to seed, the onions were topped and tops spread over the floor of the extensive McKinney compress sheds until they dried. Then they were threshed by a special machine for that purpose contrived by Mr. Miller. He and his brother, grew onions in the several onion growing areas of our state and were also active buyers and shippers of the product in each area. Mr. Miller is of the opinion that the soil around McKinney is ideally adapted to Bermuda onion production the same as the East Collin section around Farmersville. At least onions around McKinney made an excellent yield this year.

NATIONAL W. C. T. U. PRESIDENT.

The National W. C. T. U. is preparing to undertake the most intensive campaign against liquor if the Eighteenth Amendment is repealed. Mrs. Boole, the National President, says: "Nominally I think there are eighteen to twenty states opposed to repeal. But, you and I know that the South, though fundamentally religious and dry, is fundamentally Democratic as well. The people there are thirsty for office. What can they do when Mr. James A. Farley and the Federal administration say: "Vote for repeal if you want patronage!" There is no fair way of judging their sentiment.

"I have come to realize that the evil lies in liquor itself not the saloon. Anyone in any sort of place, who sells liquor under any condition, is fostering the abuse. Canada is ruled by the liquor traffic, just as we were before Prohibition, and [illegible] will be again if Prohibition is repealed. We are conducting an educational campaign in Europe, South Africa, [illegible]. We will try to show women and children [illegible]

D. G. Coffman of Josephine, this county, was sworn in as acting deputy prohibition administrator for the northern district of Texas by Assistant Postmaster Bruce Luna of Dallas recently. Mr. Coffman has been active in Collin county political circles for many years.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Of the $3,300,000,000 authorized for a vast program of public works, to be financed through the sale of federal bonds $575,000,000 is definitely ear-marked. Congress decided that $400,000,000 should be advanced to the states in the form of highway grant; that $100,000,000 should be used to help put the new farm law into operation; that $50,000,000 should be spent for the construction and maintenance of roads in national parks and forests, and that $25,000,000 should be made available "to provide for aiding the redistribution of the overbalance of population in industrial centers" through "making loans for and otherwise aiding in the purchase of subsistence homesteads."

When Congress adjourned there remained $2,725,000,000 to be used for other projects, largely within the discretion of the administration. Of this, $238,000,000 has been assigned by the president for the construction of 32 warships over a period of three years, as part of a program to build the navy up to the strength permitted by the London treaty. Additional assignments totaling $65,000,000 have been made to various federal agencies, in many cases compensating them for cuts they suffered when the "ordinary" budget was being pruned in an attempt to bring it into balance. Smaller appropriations amounting in the aggregate to several million dollars have been made for river and harbor projects, for the improvement of federal prisons, for loans to municipalities to enable them to complete water-works, etc., It was reported recently that other assignments will soon be announced.

If the administration is moving more slowly in this matter than some of its advisers have urged, it is primarily because of the high requirements set by Secretary Ickes, in charge of the public works administration, for any grant or loan of funds which must, in the present condition of the treasury, be borrowed from the public. With due consideration of the president's recent warning against building a "lot of useless projects disguised as relief," he has specified that plans submitted for the government's approval must meet three primary qualifications: (1) immediate ability to create large employment; (2) completion without further federal aid, and (3) permanent social benefit to the community or to the nation.

The last of these requirements rules out, in the words of Mr. Ickes, projects which are "mere work-makers, giving no lasting benefit upon completion."—New York Times.

THEN AND NOW.

"And if, thank God, the fighting and maiming and killing have now come to an end, let us give in double measure as a peace offering, as a thanksgiving, as a tribute to the memory of those who laid down their lives for America and for humanity. Heaven forbid that we should permit an impression to go out to our soldiers that we took good care of them as long as we needed them to stand between us and the enemy, but that when the danger to us is past, we fail them. The debt of gratitude which we owe to them can not be measured or discharged in money, but we can at least prove to them, as far as we can express it by giving, that we love them with proud and tender affection and that their well-being is a first charge upon our means. America has broken many a record since we entered the war. There is one record yet to be broken before our boys come home. That is the record of the outpouring of a nation's gratitude to its defenders."—From an address by Otto H. Kahn, head of Kuhn, Leob & Co., international bankers, at the united war work campaign meeting in Boston on Armistice Day, 1918.

The foregoing says former United States Rice M. Means of Colorado in the National Tribune, expressed the views of Big Business at the time it was made. The boys with the doughbags then were very proud of the "soldier boys." They lavished promises as promiscuously as they had profiteered when the profiteering was at its best. Continuing Senator Means says that back in 1898 Big Business had little confidence in the United States Navy, and when war with Spain was declared arrangements were made to carry the Wall Street money to some inland city so it would be safe from the Spanish fleet.

In answer to President McKinley's call, thousands of men volunteered their services and the Spanish forces in Cuba were soon defeated. In the meantime Dewey had captured the Spanish squadron in Manila Bay, and a short time later the United States Navy showed its superior fighting ability in the Battle of Santiago Bay.

These volunteers of '98 and the men of the Navy proved to Big Business that the wealth of the country could and would be defended.

The World War was on the other side of the Atlantic, so Big Business was not so worried about an actual conquest. There was considerable worry, however, about the Allies losing the war and the enormous reparations that would have to be paid. It was generally understood that Uncle Sam would have to bear the financial burden if such a contingency should arise, so Big Business was very much interested in the "soldier boys."

Nothing was too good for them in those days. They were real heroes and Big Business praised them to the skies. Extravagant promises were made.

This sentence from the foregoing speech is typical: "The debt of gratitude which we owe to them can not be measured or discharged in money, but we can at least prove to them, as far as we can express it, by giving, that we love them with proud and tender affection, and that their well-being is a first charge upon our means."

That was 15 years ago. Similar utterances were made when the men who saved the Union returned from the Civil War in 1865. There was even an enormous banner on the Capitol in Washington stating that the debt to the "Boys in Blue" could never be repaid. And when the men who served in the Spanish War, the Philippine Insurrection, and the Boxer Rebellion added further laurels to the Stars and Stripes there were more extravagant promises made by Big Business.

It was ever thus. When Big Business is reaping enormous profits and at the same time is fearful that its ill-gotten gains shall be taken away, there is much slushy oratory about the "soldier boys."

This bunk is believed by many, but the "soldier boys" themselves have awakened to the realization that Big Business is not at all interested in them in the "piping times of peace."

Flowery language is all well and good when the country is in peril, but when a man and his family are in distress it is impossible to cash in those beautiful words for food and clothing.

Let Big Business and the Government take for their motto this sentence from the foregoing speech:

"Heaven forbid that we should permit an impression to go out to our soldiers that we took good care of them as long as we needed them to stand between us and the enemy, but that when the danger to us is past, we fail [illegible]

PERSONALS-LOCALS

J. Bethel Box of the Climax community brought in the first bale of cotton at Farmersville.

Miss Mary Etta Wylie of Merit recently became the bride of Wm. R. Johnson of Farmersville.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Miller of Celina Monday.

That was a real rain which fell here Saturday. It greatly helped growing crops.

Misses Margie and Elizabeth Williams, of Allen, were shopping in McKinney Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Harris has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Fink, in Marlin, the past week.

Mrs. Forrest Walters and Miss Mary Corinne Fryer were Dallas visitors Monday.

Moran Hill is among the McKinneyites attending the Century of Progress, at Chicago.

C. H. Ray and family of this city and John Ray and family of Prosper spent two weeks vacationing in New Mexico.

Misses Dorothy Gaddy and Wilma Jo West, of Princeton were McKinney visitors Monday afternoon.

Miss Betty Holloman, one of McKinney's efficient lady school teachers, is visiting for several weeks at Vernon, Texas.

Mrs. Virga Burns, Route 2, Plano, sends renewal cash on her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription. We thank her.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hughston of Dallas attended the funeral and burial of Mrs. R. J. Walton in McKinney Sunday.

Rev. R. B. Evans, Presbyterian pastor of Prosper, attended the Mrs. Walton funeral services in McKinney Sunday afternoon.

Rev. C. H. Wray, a Baptist minister of Prosper, attended the obsequies of Mrs. R. J. Walton in McKinney Sunday afternoon.

J. B. McKinney, who has been seriously ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. McKinney, a mile north of McKinney, is improving.

Mrs. H. S. Wysong, John Marshall Leigh, both of Melissa, and Mrs. J. D. West, of Princeton, were visiting in McKinney Monday morning.

Tom E. Rattan, wife and two fine little children were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Rattan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oates, in this city.

Miss Anniette Furr has accepted a stenographic position in Dallas. She will continue to reside in McKinney, going back and forth daily to her work.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Byrum, T. E. Byrum and Mrs. L. E. Minor of Frisco returned Friday from a most enjoyable visit to Tennessee and Kentucky.

Mr. and Mrs. Manyard Atkins are moving into their new five-room house on Preston road, three or four miles south of Celina.

U. N. Clary and wife of Prosper attended the Walton funeral in McKinney Sunday afternoon. Mr. Clary is one of our county's best-known bankers and business men.

Mrs. M. F. Brackney of Dallas was a guest of her sister, Mrs. W. H. Sims and Mrs. Henry W. Warden and families in this city Sunday.

Miss Blanche Goggins, who holds a position in Big Spring, is enjoying her annual two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Goggins, in this city.

Dan Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Thompson, who makes his home in East Texas and is connected with a large electrical construction company, spent the week-end with his family here.

Miss Helen Margaret Lorimer of Fort Worth is a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wysong, and of Miss Dorothy Leigh, in Melissa.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Hines visited Mr. and Mrs. Royal Sherbert and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Russell in Dallas Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Watts of Mount Pleasant, Texas, sends cash to advance her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription expiration date forward another three months. We thank here.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rattan and children, Thomas Oates and Frankie Jane, of Anna, were week-end guests of Mrs. Rattan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Oates in this city.

Isaac Griffin, J. D. West and Lee West, onion buyers of Princeton and McKinney, are spending two or three weeks in Muskogee and Hanna, Okla., buying onions.

Traveling men, generally knowing a good town when they visit one, tell us that McKinney is in the best shape of any town in Texas its size and [illegible]

Mrs. Bill Sparks of Dallas is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Cooper, and husband in this city for a few days. Mrs. Sparks is 92 years of age.

Miss Mary Anna Graves is spending the week with her sister in Denton, Miss Madeline Graves. Miss Madalene is a student in the North Texas Teachers college.

C. I. Talkington, wife and children, Benny and Mrs. George Sallee, all of Dallas, attended the Mrs. R. J. Walton funeral at the First Methodist church in McKinney Sunday afternoon.

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Miss Mary Eleanor Rike, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Rike of Dallas, but formerly of Farmersville, was married to Raymond L. Holland of Miles at a recent ceremony in Dallas.

T. L. Bailey and D. E. Neathery attended the funeral of their old-time friends of J. P. Huddleston, who was found dead in Dallas Friday and who was buried in Farmersville.

Prof. Francis Emerson, head of the Department of Speech at the Texas Woman's College (C. I. A.) Denton, is spending a few days in McKinney at the home of his mother, Mrs. Frank W. Emerson.

Miss Mary Frances Powers of Granger is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brockman on West Hunt street. Miss Bowers is a niece of Mr. Brockman. Miss Bowers will remain several days.

A. T. Wisdom of Clayton, New Mexico, is here for a few days. He was reared at Blue Ridge. Fifteen years ago he moved out to New Mexico, where he owns a good 320-acre farm. Mr. Wisdom called in see us. We were pleased to form his acquaintance.

Mrs. J. D. West of Princeton is spending a few days in Melissa, attending the bedside of her grandmother, Mrs. M. J. Leigh, who has been ill for sometime, but is better.

Tom Scott, well-known McKinney business man, reported someone stole his Nash automobile Saturday at noon. He had driven from his office to his home at noon and a few minutes later some one drove it off. Officers are working on the case.

Clyde Horn, manager of Babcock Brothers' Auto Supply company here, is enjoying his annual vacation this week. Mr. Horn and wife are spending Monday in Dallas. Wednesday they will go to Arkansas to spend the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nale of El Paso, who were visiting in Fort Worth, came up to McKinney Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. R. J. Walton. Mr. Nale is a son of the late John T. Nale, a McKinney furniture merchant.

Fine cotton rain Saturday afternoon. It will also greatly help peas, potatoes, corn, turnips and other things planted by our farmers. Looks like we live in the favored part of Texas. We will go a long ways before we find a better place to live than McKinney and Collin county.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Braswell and son, Merritt, spent the week-end in Durant, Okla., guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wilson. Mrs. Wilson being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Braswell. Mr. Wilson is proprietor of the Wilson Bakery in Durant.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Crawford of Anna entertained the following dinner guests Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Haley of Whitesboro, Miss Maud Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Dowden Davis and daughter, Martha Lorraine of McKinney and Albert Brown of Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Q. Forte went over to Denton Saturday afternoon after their daughters, Misses Rosemary and Rachel, who were guests the past week of Miss Rosemary Madison in that city. Miss Edna Sportsman of this city was also a guest of Miss Madison.

Ray Chapman and wife of Huntsville were among the many out-of-town people who attended the Mrs. R. J. Walton funeral here Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Chapman was formerly Miss Ona Sims, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Sims and a sister of Mrs. Will T. Oglesby.

Choice McClure of the J. C. Penney big dry goods store is back at his usual place of business after a very enjoyable visit to the Century of Progress World's Fair, at Chicago. His wife, formerly Miss Martha Ann Hughston, accompanied him. They made the trip in their auto and greatly enjoyed themselves.

George R. Watts, in addition to renewing his own Daily Courier-Gazette subscription, sends another $1.25 to pay for another paper for three months in advance to be sent to Mrs. J. H. Young, 126 East Hull street, Denison, Texas. We certainly thank him.

Mrs. Leona Emerson, 6404 Santa Fe avenue, Huntington Park, California, sends renewal cash for her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for another three months in advance. [illegible]

Mrs. E. G. Tribbett, 521 West 115th street, Los Angeles, California, sends $1.25 to renew her Daily Courier-Gazette subscription for another three months in advance. Mrs. Tribbett was formerly Miss Jessye Moore, daughter of R. E. Moore, a highly-reteemed old pioneer Collin citizen, living eight miles northeast of McKinney.

Blue Ridge's picnic starts Thursday, lasting over until Saturday. Hon. Maury Hughes of Dallas will speak Thursday night. He will speak for legalizing beer and for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. Mr. Hughes is Chairman of the Democratic Executive committee of Texas.

W. B. Saunders, Clegg, Texas, sends renewal cash for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year. Willie Bob Saunders lived in the Chambersville community many years, but a few years ago bought a farm near Clegg, Live Oak county, in South Texas. He says business conditions are improving down in that part of the state.

Funeral services for Orbie King, 27, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. King of Lewisville, who died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Mays, Friday, July 27, one mile west of Frisco, were held in the Baptist church of Little Elm by Rev. L. M. Walker Friday afternoon. Burial was made in the Little Elm cemetery.

N. J. Marley received a telegram Monday morning from his son, J. B. Marley, at Austin, announcing the arrival of another sweet red-headed sister to sweet little Diane. Mrs. Marley and Miss Irene Marley went to Austin Saturday. Mrs. J. B. Marley and baby daughter are doing well.

The sheriff's department has cleared up the burglary of last March at Prosper of the Lyon-Gray Lumber company in which a quantity of paint, some brushes and other property was stolen. Three local youths of Prosper and Celina have been apprehended and made confessions of their guilt.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Bryan of Albuquerque, New Mexico, who have been on a visit in McKinney, to Will and Commissioner C. M. Bryan and families, left Monday for St Louis and in two or three weeks will be at their home in New Mexico. Mr. Bryan travels for a big hat house, with headquarters in Albuquerque. He was born and reared here.

Miss Corrie Davis, 2060 Leavenworth street, department four, San Francisco, Calif., sends $1.50 to renew her Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. Miss Corrie was born and reared in McKinney, where he has a sister, Miss Maude Davis, and a brother, Dowden Davis, still living. Miss Corrie has lived in California for the past several years.

Dean E. V. White of the College of Industrial Arts, at Denton, and J. B. Perry, 707 Browder Street, Dallas, representing the Johnson Publishing Company of Richmond, Virginia, were business visitors in McKinney Monday. While in the city, they called on Prof. Jack R. Ryan, superintendent of our city schools, to pay their respects.

The revival meeting which has been conducted at Rowlett for the past two weeks by Rev. G. H. Ussery, Baptist pastor of this city, closed Sunday night with a large attendance. There were three conversions, two reclamations and five additions to the church. A Sunday school was also started. Rev. Ussery has an appointment to preach there at an early date.

Dr. F. G. Jones, wife returned to Fort Worth Monday morning after spending the week-end with McKinney relatives. Dr. Jones is head of the educational department of the Texas Christian university, who has been teaching in the summer school there this summer. His wife is a daughter of Mrs. Leslie Bush and a sister of Walter Bush and of Mrs. R. D. Shults, all of McKinney.

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J. C. Byrom Jr. returned to his home in McKinney Sunday afternoon from a three weeks' vacation spent with relatives at Lynchburg and Nashville, Tennessee. He says: "Tennessee is a fine place and very beautiful in natural scenery, but nothing ever looked better than good old McKinney on my return." He is a McKinney High graduate of the spring class of this year.

Rev. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the South Wilcox Methodist church, was called to Richardson Saturday afternoon to conduct the funeral of Mrs. W. C. Wallace, a long-time friend and the wife of a former pastor of the Richardson Methodist church. Rev. Jackson was also pastor of the Richardson church for four years. Rev. Wallace was killed in a train wreck about twenty years ago.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

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(August 13, 1908.)

Col. Sam Harris and wife of Farmersville are here for our big picnic. Col. Sam, who tips the scales at more than 300 pounds, is city marshal of Farmersville.

H. F. Childress of near Weston is spending a few days in McKinney having his eyes treated. He injured his eyes recently while at work on his farm.

J. W. Bryan and wife of the Clifft schoolhouse community are here at the reunion and picnic. They also visited at the home of J. H. Potts, two miles east of McKinney.

Judge M. G. Abernathy and daughter, Miss Ethel, arrived home today from San Antonio where they attended the Democratic state convention. J. A. Kuykendall of Josephine and J. C. Stone of Wylie also attended as delegates from this county.

Congressman Morris Sheppard, the eloquent orator of Democracy and Woodcraft in Texas, arrived in McKinney today to speak at our big picnic and reunion. He is bright, brainy and brilliant; safe, sane, sound and sensible. He is sovereign banker of the Woodmen of the World.

A. G. Wilson of Lone Oak is attending the big picnic and meeting up with old Collin county friends. While here, he will visit his mother, Mrs. S. A. Wilson, of Plano, and two brothers, B. F. and J. M. Wilson, at Wylie. A. G. keeps up with his old Collin home friends and relatives by reading our paper.

A deplorable shooting took place at Van Alstyne last evening in which Fred Schweighofer was shot and killed. Clay Mack Jr. is under arrest charged with the crime. Both were printers on the Van Alstyne Leader. Young Mack was born and reared in McKinney and formerly worked on this paper.

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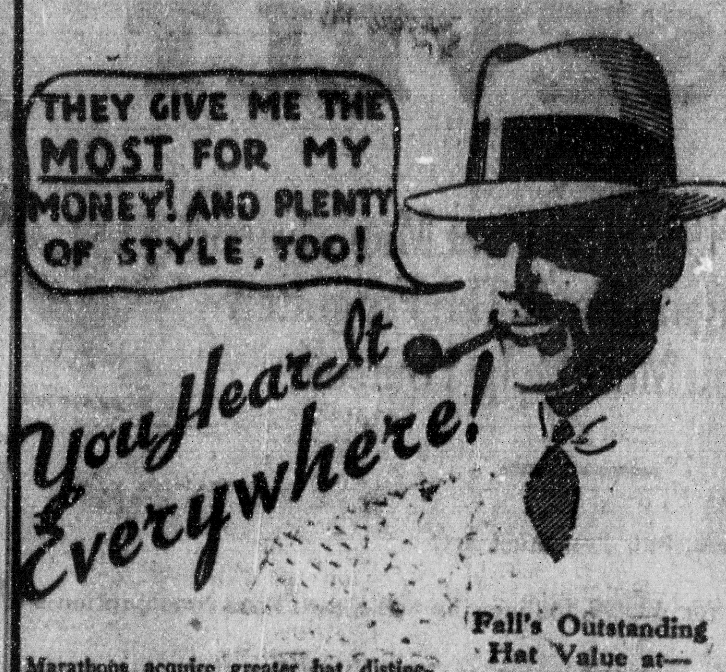
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R HALF CENTURY WAS SUCCESSFUL FAMILY PHYSICIAN IN COLLIN COUNTY—FIRST AT ROCK HILL THEN PROSPER AND FOR 16 YEARS AT McKINNEY—BURIAL SATURDAY AFTERNOON IN PECAN GROVE CEMETERY.

ter a critical illness of sev- weeks, Dr. W. R. Mathers, 78 years, 2 months and 27 passed away at 10:35 o'clock y morning, Aug. 11, in the hospital, which he had helped uild twelve or fourteen years and in which the last six s of life with him had been . He was a charter member e Collin County Medical as- tion, a member of the state also the American Medical ciations and was the oldest ving member of the Prosper onic lodge. He had for a half ury been a practicing physi- of this county; until sixteen s ago, being located in West n at Rock Hill and Prosper.

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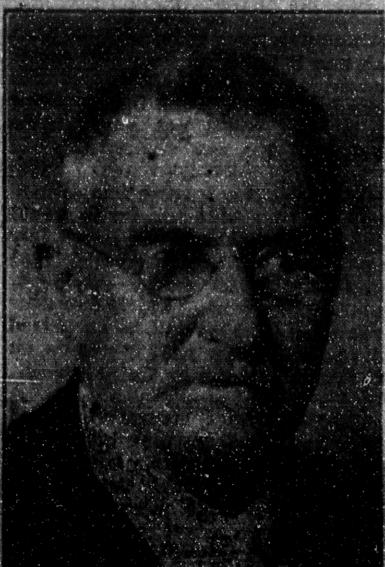
neral services were held in Peter's Episcopal church at 3 ck last Saturday af- on, August 12, conducted by Benjamin Bean, former rec- but now located at Terrell, s. Buiral followed in Pe- Grove cemetery, under the di- on of the Isaac Crouch Fun- home.

tive pall bearers: Homer Rog- Otto Crockett and J. B. ett, all of Dallas; U. N.

50 Years In Collin



DR. W. R. MATHERS
McKinney, Texas

Clary of Prosper; Ryder Shrader of Frisco and John Shrader of Denton.

Honorary pall bearers: Members of the Collin County Medical association and members of the McKinney Lions' club.

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Native of Louisiana.

Dr. William Ryder Mathers was born, May 14, 1855, in the State of Louisiana. When he was an infant, his parents, William and Sophia (DeRyder) Mathers moved to London, England, where he lived until he was 18 years of age, attending public schools and college in the world's largest city. At the age of 18, after the death of his mother, he accompanied his father back to America and lived in Chicago, where he attended the Chicago university and the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, preparing himself for the practice of medicine with one of the most thorough medical trainings that could be had at that time. He kept up his studies, reading and at intervals took post-graduate courses.

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In Collin Fifty Years.

His diligent student life through the years left him frail in a physical way; hence, he was advised to settle in some rural section to practice in the hope of restoring his health and gaining strength by being out in the open as much as possible. He came to Texas about fifty years ago and settled at Rock Hill in West Collin, where he practiced until the Frisco railway came through West Collin when he then moved from Rock Hill to Prosper, a distance of two or three miles where he continued to live and parctice until he moved to McKinney in 1917 and bought a home at 503 West Tucker street, where he lived the remainder of life. His cultured [illegible]

continued active and devoted to the same until the last three or four months of his life. He was reared as an Episcopalian and remained active in the McKinney Lions' club as long as he was physically able to attend. Along with his many other gifts Dr. Mathers was a pleasing public speaker. His services were often drafted by his community and fellow citizens in promoting welfare work and propagating better health ideas and knowledge among the masses.

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His Survivors.

Dr. Mathers was married, April 15,1886 to Miss Tennie Shrader, who, together with four children, survive as follows: Mrs. W. T. Fakes of Dallas, Mrs. B. W. Owens of Birmingham, Alabama; Dudley Mathers of Dallas and Dr. Fred Mathers of Philadelphia. One son, Dr. George Mathers, a young physician of unusual promise, died in Chicago, October 6, 1918, in the military service of his country as a major in the medical corps. He is also survived by three grandchildren, Miss Mary Catherine Fakes of Dallas, George Mathers of Chicago and Dudley Mathers Jr. of Dallas. Another son, W. R. Mathers Jr., died in 1912 at the age of 6.

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Founder Memphis Technical High School

DR. HIGHSAW CONCLUDES VISIT TO FATHER

Dr. J. L. Highsaw, founder of the Memphis (Tennessee) Technical High school and head of this noted school of its kind throughout the country has returned home after a brief visit to his old father, J. C. Highsaw, of near Culleoka, this county.

Before coming on down to his old Texas home, Dr. Highsaw visited Beaver county in the Panhandle of Oklahoma, where he gathered data for his forthcoming books, "No Man's Land" and "American Defacto Governmnet."

His trip and few days' stay at Beaver resulted in his collecting much valuable historic data. He has been working on these books in a research way for about two years. He is personally digging into original information to be obtained on the ground by interviewing old settlers and participants and in looking up official records.

For a number of years, Dr. Highsaw has been an active student of Southern and Southwestern historical matter and has already gained an enviable reputation as an historian through his work of editing and transcribing the famous "Draper Manuscripts" on Tennessee history.

His history of "No Man's Land" will tell the story of the Cimarron (Oklahoma) movement from 1886 to 1890. He will describe how the cattlemen came into No Man's Land and reigned supreme for forty years. He then will tell the story of how these people organized a government with a governor, a legislature and a judiciary and kept this government going for four years without the recognition of the congress of the United States. He will also tell the life story of the leaders of this movement, including Gov. J. R. Linley, Thos. Bradwood, secretary of state; Owen G. Chase, John Dale, and L. M. Hubbard, as delegates to congress. There are many interesting stories connected with the history of "No Man's Land."

Thos. Braidwood, the secretary of state, brought to the territory the only plug hat that was ever seen in those parts and due to Gov. Linley's position as chief executive of the territory the plug hat was given to Gov. Linley. Thos. Braidwood said that he soon found out that Cimarron was not a plug hat country. When the hat was given to Gov. J. R. Linley, it became the most famous plug hat in the American Southwest. Gov. Linley frequently wore it, especially did he wear it when he visited Sam Mills' famous saloon and upon one occasion while Gov. Linley stood at the bar with this high topper on his head, no citizen in the saloon removed the hat from Gov. Linley's head and placed it upon his own to see how he would look with a plug hat. Thereupon, another citizen drew from his holster a long rangy "Forty-Five" Colt revolver and [illegible] above the ear, killing him instantly.

Within two weeks, Brusher's brother came to Beaver City and shot Clarke, the man who had attempted to shoot a hole through the plug hat. Thus, the governor's plug hat cost two lives and thereby became one of the most famous plug hats in all histroy.

Mr. Highsaw spent some time doing research work in the Cimarron territory and secured some early documents and some early photographs with which to illustrate no man's land.

It is needless to say that he has a picture of Gov. Linley wearing his plug hat.

COVETED PURPLE AWARD GOES TO LT. LEWIS MOSES

Information has been received in McKinney of the awarding of the "Purple Heart" medal to Lieut. Robert Lewis Moses of San Antonio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin W. Moses of McKinney.

The Purple Heart medal, by order of the president of the United States, has been revived out of respect to the memory and meritorious achievements of General George Washington established the reward on August 7, 1782, during the revolution.

Lieut. Moses was named for the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lewis, parents of his mother. Mr. Lewis was from distinguished parentage, one of his great-great grandfathers, Col. Fielding Lewis having married Betty Washington, sister of George Washington, "father of our country." Therefore, receiving the Purple Heart is doubly important to Lieutenant Moses since it was established by the first president of the United States, one of his forebears.

Lieutenant Moses saw service overseas during the World war. Several times he barely escaped with his life. So efficiently did he serve that he was awarded the highest French medal as evidence of his bravery, ability and fighting qualities.

This member of Uncle Sam's fighting forces entered the service as a volunteer immediately after the war had been declared. When the call was made he was attending A. & M. college. After his arrival in France, he was soon promoted to a first lieutenancy and later returned home laden with honors of many kinds, although only 22 years of age. He was in the Champagne sector in 1918 and was gassed. For two months he was in a hospital, recovering quickly however. He was a member of the famous 36th division, noted for its great bravery and fighting qualities.

The order of the "Purple Heart" was established by General George Washington by the following order:

"The general ever desirous to cherish a virtuous ambition in his soldiers, as well as to foster and encourage every species of military merit, directs that whenever any singularly meritorious action is performed, the author of it shall be permitted to wear on his facings over the left breast, the figure of a heart in purple cloth or silk, edged with narrow lace or binding. Not only instances of unusual gallantry, but also of extraordinary fidelity and essential service in any way shall meet with a due reward. Before this favor can be conferred on any man, the particular fact, or facts, on which it is to be grounded must be set forth to the commander-in-chief accompanied with certificates from the commanding officers of the regiment and brigade to which the candidate for reward belonged, or other incontestable proofs, and upon granting it, the name and regiment of the person with the action so certified are to be enrolled in the book of merit which will be kept at the orderly office. Men who have merited this last distinction to be suffered to pass all guards and sentinels which officers are permitted to do.

"The road to glory in a patriot army and a free country is thus open to all—this order is also to have retrospect to the earliest stages of the war, and to be considered as a permanent one."

This was the first time in the history of the United States army that an honor badge was provided for the enlisted man in the ranks and the noncommissioned officer.

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Given To Only Three Men.

So far as the known surviving records show, this honor badge was granted to only three men, all of them noncommissioned officers; Sergeant Daniel Bissel of the 2nd Connecticut Regiment of the Continental line, Sergeant Daniel Brown of the 5th Connecticut Regiment of the Continental line, and Sergeant Elijah Churchill of the 2nd Continental Dragoons, which was a Connecticut regiment.

Subsequent to the revolution the Order of the Purple Heart seems to have fallen into disuse and no further awards were made. The order vanished from public sight and references to the scanty official records concerning it practically ceased. In recent years interest in this rare decoration was aroused by the publication of articles calling attention to its existence and its revival has been projected since 1930. The 200th anniversary of George Washington's birth was selected as obviously the most appropriate time for its rehabilitation.

The revived decoration consists of a heart-shaped medal, its face and [illegible]

FRIENDS SEE NIGHT BLOOMING RARE FLOWER

Dr. James A. Caldwell, whose big two-story brick sanitarium located on South Tennessee street and occupying a city block, has its premises beautified by numerous shade trees, shrubs, plants and flowers of a widely, variegated sort.

One of his most interesting plants in this midsummer season is known as the "Night Blooming Cereus" or "Saguaro," an arborescent cactus (Cereus Giganteus), a native of the desert regions in the Southwestern United States and in Mexico. It has a tall, columnar, simply or sparsely-branched trunk, attaining a heighth sometimes of sixty feet. It bears pale yellow flowers; its fruit is edible.

Dr. Caldwell's speciman was planted several years ago in a large clay flower-pot filled with rich dirt and blooms only at rare intervals in the hot summer season. Its pale yellow flowers, three of them, opened about 10 o'clock last (Wednesday) night, remaining open not more than from one to two hours. The flower is a large cup-shaped one, with long, narrow petals which give off a delicate, pleasing aroma. Dr. Caldwell and the nurses of his sanitarium called in a few intimate friends, who are interested in flowers to see the rather rare sight of the "Night Blooming Cereus" in its brief bloom in this region and climate.

Several of the ladies seeing the beautiful flowers plucked small branches or leaves from the trunk to transplant in pots of their own from which this rare cactus specie may be propagated as well as they can be from the roots.

Dr. Caldwell's plant is several years old and is well protected during the cool fall, cold winter and early spring months in his artificially heated brick flower conservatory.

Industries are resuming operation all over the nation. The Frank Brothers pepper mill opened Thursday at New Iberia, La., with a large force of men, after being closed since December. More than $100,000 will be paid to growers of tobacco and cayenne pepper in the next four months; there are 2,500 acres of peppers this season, largest acreage in years.

The McTee Mattress factory of this city, Chas. McTee, owner and manager, is advertising their business in these papers. Mr. McTee has had fourteen years' service in mattress making and renovating. He has the only machine in the county that will remove dust and dirt from mattresses and the only machine to make tuftless mattresses.

J. V. SINGLETON INSURANCE MAN VISITS M'KINNEY

John V. Singleton, secretary of the Citizens Mutual Life Insurance association, with headquarters at Waxahachie, was in McKinney Monday, conferring with his Collin agent, Tom L. Bailey. This is one of the most successful mutual insurance associations in the south, which is operating under a permit issued by the Insurance Department of Texas. Mr. Singleton is a man of influence in business circles and especially among insurance people. He has built up a great company and merits the splendid business that he is getting. A. M. Scott of McKinney is one of the nine directors. This is virtually a home insurance association for the people of Collin county with Mr. Bailey active in the field looking after your interests, and Mr. Scott, one of our best local business men, on the board of directors.

The Citizens' Mutual is proudly living up to its motto, "We Will Be The First to Pay Your Beneficiary." If you need protection, you should confer with Mr. Bailey. The rates are very reasonable and in reach of every one. While in our city, Mr. Singleton who is a former district governor of Rotary, had as his luncheon guests at the Corner Cupboard, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Wade Biggers, the following friends: Tom L. Bailey, A. M. Scott, F. C. Thompson and Walter B. Wilson. Mr. Singleton is very much encouraged over improved business conditions and views the future under our great Democratic president as one of steadily improving conditions.

H. A. L. Greenwood, McKinney photographer, received word this (Tuesday) morning of the arrival of his first grandchild, born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Greenwood early today in a San Antonio hospital. Mrs. Greenwood was before her marriage, Miss Louise Bacon, their marriage being solemnized a few years ago in Killeen Texas. Edward Greenwood received his education in McKinney, graduating from our high school. Mother and baby are getting along nicely.

Members of the Jimmie Geigas American Legion post of McKinney are calling attention to an important meeting of that post next Monday night, August 21, at the City Hall at which time they will elect officers for another year and also name a delegate to the state convention at Wichita Falls which meets there August 26. Post Commander Warren Barnes and other officials are hopeful for a well-attended enthusiastic meeting.

BLUE RIDGE PICNIC BEGINS AUG. 17

The twenty-fourth annual picnic at Blue Ridge, in Northeast Collin, opened there Thursday August 17, to continue through Saturday. Hon. Maury Hughes, Dallas attorney, will be the featured speaker on the opening evening of that event. He is scheduled to speak at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

Other features of this year's celebration will be a ball game each afternoon between the Lavon Independents and the Pink Hill Hill Billies, the latter being a team in the Red River Valley league. Harrel Edwards of Westminster has charge of the entertainment.

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The big three-day Westminster picnic will open August 24, according to R. E. McHone, who is head of this year's celebration. Mr. McHone is preparing for plenty of entertainment for the huge crowds who also attend this event. The Jones amusement devices of Sherman will be among the attratcions.

Lee Braswell, veteran farmer living northeast of McKinney, about twelve miles, was in town Saturday. His wife had been here several days, receiving treatment. This old couple are the parents fo Mrs. I. M. Counts of this city, and Mrs. Braswell is a sister of Mrs. M. T. Jones, wife of the former McKinney mayor.

Mrs. Ida Mae Mosier, Box 124, Brownfield, Texas, sends in a dollar to renew her Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance. In a note with her remittance, she says: "We feel as if we can't do without our dear old Collin county family home paper. Success to you."

Thanks to W. K. Waller, 4532 Southern Avenue, Dallas, for Daily Courier-Gazette renewal subscription. Mr. Waller, his cultured wife and fine young son, W. K. Jr., made McKinney their home for a number of years. We lost valuable citizens when they moved away. We wish them success and are hoping that business arrangements may be such that they may return to our city again at no distant date to again make their home among us.

Prof. C. H. Thurman and wife of Dallas recently visited their former home at McKinney. Prof. Thurman has been teaching in the West Texas State Teachers College, at Canyon, up until June. He has been licensed to preach by the Methodist church and occupies a pulpit nearly every Sunday and Sunday night. He is highly educated, a gifted speaker and a young man of exalted character and ideals.

Miss Evelyn Reddell, who holds a position with the Truett & Abernathy law firm, is enjoying her annual vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Harris of Dallas, but formerly of McKinney, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Heard here. They came up after their daughters, Misses Harva Janelle and Dorothy Louise, who had spent the week here as guests in the Heard home.

Chas. H. Newman was in McKinney Sunday, attending the funeral and burial of Mrs. R. J. Walton. The husband of the deceased lady succeeded Mr. Newman as sales manager of the Collin County Mill & Elevator company when the Newmans left McKinney a few years ago. Mr. Newman is now connected with the Tex-O-Can milling operations with headquarters in Dallas. Mrs. Newman is visiting in East Texas and could not attend the funeral.

In McKinney 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 10, 1908.)

Mrs. R. L. Russell of Farmersville died in a sanitarium at Dallas last week.

Thanks to E. B. Marchant, Dump merchant, for Daily Courier-Gazette renewal for a year in advance.

Thanks to William Duncan, one of West Collin's biggest farmers for Weekly Democrat-Gazette renewal subscription.

Jim Brewton, the barber, is again with the East Side shop after a prolonged stay in Oklahoma.

Tom J. Sneed of Lucas gave us a welcome call today and renewed his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription. He is a brother of Jerome H. Sneed.

G. Leslie Shields, living west of town, pays for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, to go to his sister, Miss Madge Shields, at Fort Worth.

Prof. C. T. Cobb of Allen has been elected principal of the Central Ward school here at McKinney for next year. He has been superintendent of the Allen Public school for the past five years.

Prof. J. W. Miller has been employed as teacher of the Fairfield school, in North McKinney, for the coming term. He has been teaching in the county for more than twenty years. His wife is teacher of a private primary school in McKinney.

A Good Citizen

A good citizen is one who supports his Government, as well as the forces for the upbuilding of his Home Town. We want the co-operation of every citizen of this community in increasing the efficiency of the power and light facilities in every direction, for only by the co-ordination of our efforts and by the support of our patrons can the Texas Power & Light Company succeed.

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This Company is proud of the property as it stands today. It represents an achievement of thrift, good management and progressiveness. It thinks you should be proud of your electric power and light system. It believes that you are, and that every citizen who is open-minded and fair will be glad to help us rout ill with candor, confront prejudice with facts, and in the friendliest spirit help us face problems which only cordial co-operation can solve.

J. W. CARPENTER
President and General Manager,
TEXAS POWER & LIGHT COMPANY.

BUSINESS AT THE TEMPLE OF JUSTICE

DISTRICT COURT NEWS.

Hon. F. E. Wilcox, judge.
L. A. Sears, clerk.
Mrs. Euel Ford, deputy.
W. C. Dowdy, county attorney
Leon Moses, assistant.
Miss Alta Lewis, assistant.

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Grand Jury for September Term.

The grand jury for the September term of District court which will convene Monday, September 11 for a twelve weeks' term, will be drawn from the following list of well-knon citizens named by jury commissioners, Hamp Wysong, of Melissa; J. H. Sneed and J. A. Garrison of McKinney at the last term of court:

Geo. H. Jones, Nevada.
W. L. J. Gearhart, Celina.
Frank Gerron, Lavon.
Marshall Carter, Prosper.
Jim Stogner, Plano.
C. L. Graves, Melissa.
R. W. Vines, Renner.
M. F. Sims, Allen.
Fred Duncan, Wylie.
W. B. Giles, Anna.
M. A. Jones, Farmersville.
W. B. Quisenberry, McKinney.
R. O. Wilson, Princeton.
Lee Cook, McKinney.
F. P. Shrader, Frisco.
M. L. Vermillion, Westminster.

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New Suits.

Viola Gant vs. Weldon Gant, divorce and injunction.

The First National bank in Farmersville vs. J. L. Bale, debt and foreclosure.

The First National bank in Farmersville vs. Knighton Bros., et al., debt and foreclosure.

A. A. Chrestenson vs. Iva Chrestenson, divorce.

James Brown vs. Eugenia Brown, divorce.

A. D. Jennings vs. Nellie Jennings, divorce.

Neva Mae Robbins Gatlin vs. G. E. Gatlin, divorce.

W. A. Mitchell vs. Lester Winn et al, damages.

Mrs. Louise Back vs. Chas. E. Hood, permanent administrator of of L. E. Brown, trespass to try title and for damages.

Walter Ector vs. R. V. Blaine et al, transferred from Dallas county.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Hon. J. Frank Harrington, judge.
Mrs. Pearl Strother, clerk.
Miss Bessie Keen, chief deputy.

Civil Jury Docket.

The week beginning Monday, Aug. 21, will be devoted to civil jury cases, and the week of August 28 to civil non-jury cases.

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Pleas of Guilty.

C. R. Hall, charged with swindling, fined $1.00 and cost amounting to $35.75, and sentenced to one day in jail.

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Probate.

S. R. McClusky has made application to be appointed administrator of estate of J. A. McClusky, deceased.

Mary B. Smith has made application for letters of administration of estate of E. D. Smith, deceased.

Robbie Bloomgarden has made application for letters of administration of estate of Mary J. Sides, deceased.

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Marriage License.

J. M. Jackson and Rose Evelyn Jefferson.

Preston Simmons and Dora Belle Ferguson.

Morris Patterson and Madge Welch.

Virgil Morrow and Eula B. Welborn.

Raymond Hundley and Fay Bell.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The Commissioners' court convened Monday in regular monthly session. Only routine business is being transacted.

JUSTICE COURT NEWS.

Hon. Erwin Craus, J. P.
John A. Record, constable.
Hester Lewis, deputy.

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The constable's department has made the following arrests during past week with pleas of guilty: Two for assault; one for abusive language; two for drunkenness; three for swindling; two for affray; one for traffic violation.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests with charges filed and pleas of guilty in Justice court: One for drunkenness; four for affray; four for disturbance; seven cases filed against four parties, charging forgery and passing forged checks, two of the parties released on bond, the other two still in jail; a charge of theft of automobile filed against a party who is still in jail; charges of burglary filed against three boys who were released on bond; charges of theft of automobile filed against two parties—one party released on $1,000 bond, the other one still in jail.

The city officers filed charges against one party for disturbance, and two other parties for affray—pleas of guilty were entered.

Two Men Arrested and Auto Is Recovered.

Sheriff Walker and Deputy Eubanks went over to Greenville Saturday and brought back Grady Smith and Lonnie Hallman, who were arrested by the police department there, Friday on charges of theft of a Chevrolet coupe from J. W. Mouldon of Blue Ridge on the night of Aug. 8. The car was recovered in good condition. One of the accused men, Grady Smith, has been released on a bond of $1,000.

WOMBLE

By Jewel Harben

John Richard Dardin ob Emory spent last week with Alvin Harbin.

Miss Mildred Crawley of Climax spent Monday night with Miss Susie Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Malard Gay and son, Nil of Dallas, spent the week end with Mrs. Lelia Rear.

Miss Cornell of Weston is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Jones and family.

Mrs. Jack Johnson spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer McMurray of Viney Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. Oather Shannon of Farmersville spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Lawson and children of New Life spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Sullivan.

Mrs. Ola Mae Weeks and children of Sister Grove visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Templeman.

Billie Gene Lawson of New Life spent a few days with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sullivan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Wallace and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wallace of Viney Grove, spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson.

Robert Miller of Farmersville is a guest of his sisters, Mrs. Ernest Milligan and Mrs. Tip McCarley here for a few days.

ATTENTION FOLKS

CHANGE IN OPENING AND CLOSING HOURS

Beginning Saturday, August 19th we will open our store at 6:30 A. M. and remain open week-days until 6:30 P. M. Saturday until 10:00 P. M.

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Where one stop is sufficient to get what you want in GROCERIES AND MEATS.

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PORK AND BEANS No. 2½ cans each 10c
SALT (Toweling sack) 25 lbs. 23c
SOAP, Toilet 2 bars 5c
VINEGAR good quality per gal. 15c

We will be glad to buy your country produce.

OPENING HOURS.

Beginning Saturday, August the 19th we will open our store at 6:30 A. M. and close week-days at 6:30 P. M. and Saturdays at 10:00 P. M.

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CONGRESSMAN SAM RAYBURN AGAINST REPEAL

CASTS ABSENTEE BALLOT BEFORE LEAVING FOR CAPITAL

Before leaving for Washington, Congressman Sam Rayburn, chairman of the house interstate and foreign commerce committee, cast an absentee ballot, voting aaginst the repeal of the Eighteenth amendment, his Bonham friends revealed Tuesday. Mr. Rayburn arrived in Washington Tuesday morning Aug. 15.

He had been notified several days ago by Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper to return for a meeting of the committee appointed by President Roosevelt to study transportation, with a view of making recommendations to the next congress on legislation for further regulation of railroads, busses and trucks, airways and inland waterways. He is chairman of the committee.

Mr. Rayburn is expected to return to Texas late in September.

CLIFFT

By J. W. Bryan

Dr. J. F. Corry of Rockwall was here professionally Friday.

Marvin Moore was in Greenville Wednesday.

J. R. Bryan, J. W. Bryan and Bur Bryan were business viistprs at McKinney Thursday.

Jess Cain and family of Rockwall visited Charlie Gracy and wife here Sunday.

F. E. Durkee and wife are the proud parents of a baby girl since August 4.

Mrs. Ellen Hancock of Locust Grove visited G. R. Hancock and family here Monday evening.

Fred Lillard and family of Nevada visited H. M. Lillard and family here one day last week.

Sam Cade, Dutch Lillard, Gene Lillard and Bur Bryan went to the old settlers' picnic at McKinney Friday night.

Mrs. Effie Parish of Millwood visited J. R. Brayn and wife and F. E. Durkee and family here a few days this week.

W. D. Nelson, J. A. Nelson and Johnnie Nelson Jr. of Willis is visiting Hon. Lillard and family and friends here at this writing.

Sam Cade and family, Mrs. J. H. Holt and daughter, Aline, attended the camp meeting at Campbell Monday night.

W. H. Rutledge, wife and daughter, Mrs. Willie Miller and sons, Brice and Charlie, of Oklahoma City, Okla., visited H. C. Rutledge and family here a few days last week.

Marvin Moore and family of this place, Robert Moore and family of Lavon, returned Saturday from Muleshoe, where they had been visiting their parents, J. R. Moore, and family of that place.

George Ryan was taken to Greenville Wednesday and entered a sanitarium where he was operated on for appendicitis. At last report he was doing as well as could be expected.

BUSH

By Mrs. G. C. Mathews

The farmers are very busy this week plowing up cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Polser were in McKinney Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waters spent Sunday in Plano.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Russell spent the week-end in McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Story spent the past week in Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter True and family were in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Reneau are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Reneau this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Holmes announce the arrival of a baby son.

The revival meeting at this place continues through this week. Good crowds are present each evening.

Cards have been received announcing the arrival of a baby daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Duncan. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan formerly lived in this community.

Frances Mathews celebrated her eleventh birthday with a watermelon feast Friday night. All present reported a jolly good time. Many nice and useful gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Story and daughter, Bettye June, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Mathews and two daughters, Margaret and Frances, attended church in Frisco Sunday night.

Doris Turrentine of McKinney is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Dinsmore of 803 North Grand avenue. Clifford Dinsmore Jr. is spending the week with relatives at McKinney. Miss Louise Dinsmore has gone to Athens, Texas, to visit relatives and friends.—Sherman Democrat.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. McAlexander are having their residence on West Virginia street improved in the way of repainting, etc. Mr. McAlexander is the popular and genial manager of the McKinney Dry Goods company here.

Will J. Rhea, Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Texas, will attend a called convocation in Fort Worth Saturday and Saturday night of the officers of the Grand Commandery of Texas. He regrets that he will not be able to meet, mingle and hear the delegation of Dallas Masons who are coming [illegible]

ENLOE

By Devie Enloe

A nice shower fell Sunday in this community.

Mrs. J. W. Reynolds spent Saturday night with Gradie Pope.

Miss Freddie B. Pullin spent two nights last week with Miss Hazel Neely.

Several from this community have been attending the revival meeting at Wilson Chapel.

George Kindle spent Saturday night with home folks in the Higgins community.

Charles McMenamy and Herman Wilson have returned home from the forest work.

Mrs. Charlie Neely and Mrs. W. T. Reynolds spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Cunningham.

Misses Hazel Neely and Freddie B. Pullen spent Saturday night with Miss Lucille Pruett.

Miss Frances Kindle spent the week end with Miss Pauline Lenderman.

Mrs. Arthur Jenkins and two sons are visiting in Oklahoma this week.

Misses Ida Mae Enloe and Ruby Mae Reynolds and Miss Dove Enloe spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Pope.

Misses Charlcie and Mary Helen Drake spent Tuesday evening with Misses Ruby Mae and Evelyn Reynolds.

Misses Ida Mae and Minnie Fae Enloe and their aunt, Miss Dove Enloe, returned Wednesday for a week's visit at Tioga.

LOVEJOY

By Miss Roby Nelson

Mrs. Jim Tinsley was a recent guest of relatives in Terrell.

Dennie Corbitt of Wylie was in our community one day last week.

Miss Louise Martin of Denton spent the week end with home folks.

Ray Acosta and Georgia Martin have returned home from a visit with relatives at Clearlake.

Miss Leona Faye Cambell of McKinney spent one day recently with Miss Frances Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ereckson and son visited in Allen one day last week.

Miss Mary Ellen Carter of Wylie was the guest of her cousins, Misses Mozelle and Mildred (Dock) Spurgin recently.

Misses McCullum and Dunn of McKinney were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Maud Chaney Friday night and Saturday.

Miss Verna Douglass of McKinney is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster and children.

Miss Susie Strickland spent last week in the Roland community visiting her brother, John Strickland and wife.

W. W. Burk and daughters, Misses Evelyn and Gladys, also Homer Nelson, all of Clearlake, were in our community Saturday night.

Mrs. T. M. Phelps and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ereckson and son, Edwin Lee, spent Thursday in Vickery attending the bedside of their granddaughter and niece, Mrs. Haux Huffines.

Our county commissioner, Frank Kerby, is having his men with two graders level up the ground in front of the Baptist church. Mr. Kerby is a very accommodating commissioner and takes a great pride in all civic interests.

Farmers are rejoicing over the big rain which fell here Sunday. Some of the farmers are planning to sow millet and other grain on the land that was planted in cotton and has been plowed up. Feed is scarce and they are resorting to a late crop in order to supply the needs for this winter.

VINEY GROVE NO. 1

Mrs. E. L. Bomar,

Mrs. Coffey and daughter, Miss Katherine of Rockwall, are here visiting Mrs. Coffey's sister Mrs George Reeves and family this week and attending the meeting here at Dunn Memorial. Miss Katherine taught school here the past three years and has lots of friends here who are glad to see her back.

Our revival started last Thursday night. We are having large crowds each night. Bro. Greer is doing the preaching, bringing fine sermons every night. Have several additions to the church. Baptizing will be sometime Sunday afternoon.

Miss Madge Davis of Murphy is here this week visiting friends and attending the meeting. Miss Madge will teach here again this winter. We are always glad to have her with us.

DUMP

Mrs. J. W. Cooley, corr.

Oma Lou Putman has measles.

James Isom of Plano vsited home folks Sunday.

Miss Thelma Dale of Seagraves is visiting Mrs. John Sealy.

Several from Dump attended the picnic at McKinney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Isom and son Charles visited in Dallas a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Logan of Clear Lake attended church at St. Paul Monday night.

Jack Morris and family are able to attend church after having measles.

George White of Blythe Chapel visited in our community Monday.

Several from here attended the funeral of Mr. Spurgin at Forest Grove Monday afternoon.

The revival at St. Paul started Sunday night, Rev. Lancaster doing the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of Dallas spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John [illegible] at Winningkoff and attended the revival at Blythes Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snider and Mr. and Mrs. Waldron Cooley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Blythes Chapel.

Mrs. Cooley and Nahoma Dale visited friends at Van Alstyne over the week end and while there visited the Verne Dumas oil well.

LT.-GOV. WITT TO SPEAK IN FAVOR OF BOND ISSUE

WILL SPEAK ON EAST SIDE COURTHOUSE SATURDAY 3 P. M.

Lieutenant Governor Edgar A. Witt will address a county-wide mass meeting on the east side of the courthouse in this city Saturday afternoon, August 19, at 3:30 o'clock, speaking in behalf of the proposed $20,000,000 relief amendment.

A call to all Collin county citizens interested in this relief, having for its purpose the helping of those in need, has been issued by the county relief committee of which Add G. Wilson is county chairman. Other members of the board are Joe Aston of Farmersville, vice chairman; R. E. L. Miller of Celina; Tom Airhart, Valdasta, and J. H. Gulledge of Plano.

Mr. Wilson will preside and will introduce the speaker.

The purpose of this $20,000,000 relief amendment is to provide for the care of the needy in Texas during the next several months. The county relief committee urges every Collin citizen to come out and hear the lieutenant governor's address.

UNIQUE BEE HIVE YIELDS 75 LBS. HONEY

While briefly visiting the home of his father-in-law, M. V. Howell, of near Celina, on Wednesday evening, Roy Caldwell, a prominent McKinney groceryman, volunteered his experienced service to rob the unique beehive of a colony of honey bees that had been established for about two years in the space between the ceiling of the first story and the floor of the second story of Mr. Howell's farm home.

The bees gained access to their very unusual beehive through a knot hole in the weather boarding. Mr. Caldwell used a narrow rip saw in sawing out floor planks in the second story of the home, whereupon he literally lifted out the choice honey without disturbing the comb, getting about 75 pounds of this purest of all varieties of sweets in the way of human food. After securing the honey, the sawed out flooring was replaced. The bees may now get busy again in gathering another accumulation of honey for their well protected bee gum that could not be more securely shielded from the elements or pests to which the honey bee and its product are often prey to.

HALF-INCH RAIN FALLS IN CITY EARLY TUESDAY

Rainfall totaling .53 of an inch fell in McKinney and vicinity early last Tuesday morning. Coupled with 1.05 inch of rain, which fell here Saturday, this makes 1.58 inches of rain that has fallen in this vicinity in the last few days.

According to County Farm Agent Jack McCullough, these rains will not be considered of any special benefit, likely making insects worse, increasing the cotton foliage and delaying picking for quite awhile. However, the rain did soften up the ground in some localities over the county, facilitating the plowing up of government contracted cotton. It likewise helped all kinds of feed crops planted, where cotton had already been plowed up, such as milo maize, hygiera and other feed crops.

The rain greatly cooled the atmosphere in the city. Tuesday dawned partly cloudy and cool, giving promise of further relief from the heat.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Neeley of Plano are the happy parents of a fine baby girl. They formerly lived in McKinney. Their many friends are congratulating them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence Moore are on a two weeks vacation which they are spending with relatives and friends at their old homes at Winnsboro and at Sulphur Springs. Mrs. Moore is the efficient and popular manager of the Postal Telegraph office at McKinney, a position that she has been holding for five years or longer. She is one of the most wideawake alert and obliging business women of our city. Her speciality is pleasing her customers and serving them one hundred per cent efficiently through her great telegraph company. L. W. Pittman and Leon Beard, the messenger boy, are in charge of the local Postal Telegraph office during the absence of Mrs. Moore. [illegible]

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT

The Moses of 1933, The Poor Man's Friend Is Fast Bringing Back The Forgotten Man. You Must Help Yourself.

NRA WE DO OUR PART

Now is the time to come back, but you must act.

Everything is going up.

Think what a living wage for 40,000,000 mouths will mean. Food consumption wi more than double.

Study President Roosevelt's recovery program. Note its effect upon the price o cotton, corn, wool and wheat since March.

Think of the millions of families that soon will be able to buy a good old T-bon steak. Remember March 4th when our great President started things; compare Marc with August 10—today—then visualize next January.

We urge you to buy now—don't wait until Fall.

EXTRA FARM BARGAINS:

335 Acres, mile and a half south of Prosper. One of the real good farms in Collin county at a surprisingly low price, one that you will buy. See us.

160 Acres, mile and a half south of Prosper. Not a pimple on it, clear of debt. Make you an awful good home. Come and talk it over with us.

90 Acres, near Celina, a real good combination farm and stock farm; once refused $150; take $2500 for the 90 acres, small cash payment, balance just like you want it.

150 Acres, just north of Prosper, on Highway No. 116, two sets of improvements, all good land, gas in house, plenty of water; one of the real high-class homes if you are looking for that kind. Come in and let us price this to you.

100 Acres of good land, no Johnson or Bermuda grass, school on corner, four miles from Celina, good barn, deep well, ordinary house. Once sold for $150. Can deliver today for $35. Reasonable cash payment.

We have a wonderful farm in the Parker community, containing 133 acres. Once refused $250. Take great deal less today. Clear of debt, Johnson or Bermuda grass. Can give good terms. Look, means a buy. Come and look.

86 Acres, two miles northwest of McKinney, on the pike, 100 per cent perfect, deep, level, black land; once refused $350 and today you can buy it at practically your own price. It is clear of debt and it is handled exclusively by us. No information over the phone. See us and see if this real honest-to goodness home isn't what you are looking for. It is.

160 Acres in the Rowlett community; 150 perfect acres, no Johnson or Bermuda grass, the other nice pasture. Good improvements, good fences, good everything. Once would have sold for $300. You can buy it today for a reasonable small cash payment and the balance on terms that you can pay for it. If you are looking for a home or an investment, there is nothing better in the county.

224 Acres—(the old Strickland home place)—three and one half miles south east of McKinney, about 175 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture, two sets good improvements, once sold for $150. You can buy it today for $35 per acre, $2,000 cash, balance ten years, at 5 per cent. Nothing like it ever heard of before in Texas. It is clear of debt. Why not buy this home when you can get it at this price? You will regret it if you don't. See us.

60 Acres on the Melissa pike, once refused $150. Good house, plenty of water. Some Johnson grass on farm. We can deliver at a special price with a small cash payment. Look at this good farm.

80 Acres, four miles northeast of McKinney, four room house, two wells, forty acres in cultivation, forty acres in pasture, wood and Johnson grass, fenced. Once refused $100. One of our real bargains at $35. Look it over.

155 Acres of real, honest-to-goodness land in the Rhea Mills community, once refused $390. You can buy it today at your own price. Reasonable cash payment and balance very easy. None better. Look at it, and you'll get your check book out. We say so.

33 Acres, three miles from town. Once sold for $300 per acre, has a nice, comfortable, small home, fair house and barn, 25 acres of real good land, $500 cash payment, balance like rent. Talk the matter over with us. You will be surprised at the low price that we have on it. Won't last long. Come quick.

100-a—highly improved. Best farm and stock farmer in county. Four miles south from McKinney. Clear of debt. Once would have sold for $250. Extra bargain today. If you want some good land, some good pasture extra good improvements, plenty of good water, you'll like and buy this place.

65 Acres—none better under the sun—fair improvements. Once refused $265. You can buy it today, comparatively, for a song. $1000 will handle, balance easy. Unless you are looking for one of the best farms in Texas, all deep, black, level land, with no bad grass, please don't figure on buying this.

80 Acres, near Prosper, g house, good barn, one-half hog sheep proof, all level, deep bl land, gas in house, once refu $300. You can buy it today a surprisingly low price. Positiv not a better home in Texas. handle it in little money. It is per cent perfect and the price lower today than it will ever again.

If you would be interested sure-enough black land farm the Rhea Mills community) 2 in fine state of cultivation, a twenty or twenty-five acres pasture, no bad grass, close school, church and gin, this would suit you. Nothing better the whole county. Once we would have sold for $300. Le you price, terms, etc., privat Already financed, with low of interest. It's your cha Don't delay. Oh boy, it's a g one. Only $75 an acre.

124 ACRES HIGHLY improv right in the town of Prince Once would have sold for $300 acre; now we can sell it to for $110, with good terms.

80 ACRES GOOD LAND, and a half miles south of Fa ersville; good house, good barn real home. Cost owner $215 acre; will take $75. Take in good house and lot, good automobile interest. Possession.

105 ACRES, ONE MILE Blue Ridge on black top pike; acres in cultivation, good which lies rolling; 25 acres na pasture, five good wells on pl good new six room house, sh new barn, eight stalls, sheds, Once would have sold for $125 acre. You can today get it, f short time, for the low price of per acre; $500 cash and balan easy. Just think of it! It is probably bargain which will be offered ing 1933.

37 ACRES, THREE miles s of Jacksonville, good four house, water, barn. Party $100 per acre. Will take $60 acre and trade for a good farm here.

SEVERAL nice small houses lots in city. Extra good ter

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S N. R. A. is a SUCCESS. It should be. Let us back hi up one hundred per cent. He is a FRIEND to all the people. He is the MOSES of t COMMAN PEOPLE for 1933.

Land is advancing. Buy you a home before it goes too high. We have many BA GAINS. Have small and large farms. Can make terms. There will soon be no CHEA LAND, with cotton 10 cents; wheat $1; corn 60c; oats 50c. The DEPRESSION is ove The FORGOTTEN MAN is coming BACK. In fact, he is HALF-WAY here.

List your land with us for sale. No sale, no COMMISSION. We deliver the goo Could you ask more? Long Established. Perfectly Reliable. Know the roads. Good Aut mobiles to carry you. Polite, courteous, Salesmen. Come in and see us.

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LOCALS-PERSONALS

Mrs. O. M. Goddard, who has not been well for sometime, is reported feeling better, much to the delight of her many friends.

Hobart Morgan, two and a half months old baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Frazier of the White Rock community, died recently.

Mrs. Austin Benham and daughter, Miss Lucille, of Brady, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Rembert from Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gribble here Sunday.

Cotton picking will soon be in order. This will give much work to laboring people. Quite a few farmers report cotton is opening pretty good.

Mrs. Robert Bell and 4-year-old daughter, Florence, who have been visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Joe Barnes, left for New Orleans to make their home.

Raymond Jr., little son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Craft of the Wallis community, East of Melissa, is in the city hospital, suffering from a bite on the foot by a Copperhead snake recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A P. Horn of Floydada, who have been here visiting several days at the home of Mr. Horn's mother, Mrs. Retta Horn, have returned to their home.

Miss Alla Mallone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Mallone, who live a short distance west of Celina, has been taken to the McKinney City hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Lucy Thomas is taking a week's vacation and visiting her brother, Shelby Adams and her sisters at the old home in Foncine, nine miles west of town.

Miss Mary Batson has received a letter from her nephew, Clint Watts, who is with the reforestation camp in Wyoming. Clint declares that he is doing well.

A. C. Carrell, who lives in South McKinney, was able to be up town Saturday after more than a week's illness. He regret to learn that his dear old wife is in exceedingly frail health.

Rev. Alvin O. Rue, of Hillsboro, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., there, was a McKinney visitor. He was formerly pastor of the Central Presbyterian church in this city.

Mrs. E. W. Harper and children, Miss Margaret and E. W., Jr., have returned from a delightful week's visit with Mrs. S. W. Steele, at 502 Clairmont street, Dallas. While in Dallas, Mrs. Harper was honored with a theater and dinner party.

Roy Ledford, who recently bought a fine twenty-acre farm, three miles northwest of McKinney, moving on to it, comes in and orders the Daily Courier-Gazette, for which we thank him. Collin county gained a good citizen and farmer in Roy Ledford.

J. H. Hollandsworth, one of the city's most efficient policemen, recently had the misfortune to break two fingers on his right hand, while subduing a party he was arresting. Jim Hollandsworth has long been a peace officer in our city and county and makes a good one.

Sheriff G. J. S. Walker and his deputy, S. J. Allen, county jailor, went to Antlers, Okla., Wednesday, where they took into custody an escaped convict and returned him to McKinney. Sheriff Walker's fine young grandson, Glenn Walker Massie, accompanied them on the trip as driver of their car.

Owen (Tubby) Miller of Princeton, came in Saturday from Denton where he is attending the North Texas State Teacher's College summer course to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Miller at Princeton. Tubby graduated from the McKinney high school a little more than a year ago and is now on his second year in his col- [illegible]

G. A. Miller of Princeton, who has operated a service car between that place and McKinney for several years, says that he never before saw such a cotton crop as we have this year. The stalks are unusually small, but are literally a mass of bolls, pulling the stalk over to the ground with their weight. The bolls are surprisingly large in many instances considering the smallness of the stalk. He is looking for an excellent yield this fall if some unforseen pest or mishap doesn't come to destroy present prospects.

W. H. Richardson, wife and two children, Joe and Miss Elizabeth, left Thursday for their home at Boulder, Colo., after a two weeks' visit to their old home in McKinney. Mrs. Richardson was formerly Miss Josie Parker, daughter of the late R. L. Parker of this city, where she was born and reared. The family spent most of their two weeks' vacation in Texas visiting her mother, Mrs. R. L. Parker and her sister, Mrs. Betty Fahm, both of Dallas, who are spending a couple of months this summer here in McKinney.

Dr. Fred Mathers of Philadelphia arrived two weeks ago to be with his father, the late Dr. W. R. Mathers, who passed away in the McKinney City hospital at 1035 o'clock Friday forenoon. Dr. Mathers Jr. came through Birmingham, Alabama, from which city he accompanied his sister, Mrs. B. W. (Helen) Owens, on to their father's bedside at McKinney. Dr. Mathers Jr., is a brilliant young physician who is serving his internship in Temple University Hospital, at Philadelphia.

The union revival meeting of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Christian churches in Melissa, came to a successful close Sunday night in that community. The meeting continued for two weeks, with large crowds present each evening. The pastors of these churches did the preaching. These pastors are: Rev. Thos. Sterck, of the Methodist church; Rev. J. D. Gaines of the Presbyterianand Rev. A. L. Clinkenbeard of the Christian.

Mrs. J. D. Samuell complimented Mr. Samuell with a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday, August 8, the occasion being his 60th birthay. Mr. Samuell and wife have resided in McKinney the past fifteen years, making their home on South Tennessee street. They are a highly esteemed coupl, possessing a wide acquaintanceship. Mr. Samuell's birthday occasion Tuesday was a highly enjoyable affair for him and members of his family.

Austin Hall dropped in to see us. Lives two miles northwest of the city on the Celina pike. Has resided on the same farm forty-six years. Probably the choicest 80 acres of land in the county. Mr. Hall has listed this fine farm with the McKinney Realty company to be placed on sale and they have had two or three offers on it. He once refused $350, all cash, for it. It's a fine corn, cotton, wheat and oat farm. Lies as level as the placid waters and is as fertile as the green bay tree by the river's brim. If you are interested in a real honest-to-God home on the pike, nothing but good deep black land, with no bad grasses, and willing to pay a reasonable price, cheaper than ever again in fift years, drop by and talk with the McKinney Realty Co. We appreciate the visit of Mr. Hall.

Mrs. W. H. Matthews has returned to her home at 1624 East Broadway, Long Beach, Calif., from a several weeks' visit to her sister and other relatives, at Memphis, and also sisters in Mississippi and Illinois. Her sister, Mrs. Ellen Chatfield, and her niece, Alma Pinkston, returned to California with her for the remainder of the summer. She visited a sister at Xenia, Ill., and her nephew, George Copeland, wife and two children at Oklahoma City. George Copeland, when a boy, lived with his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Matthews, during their residence in McKinney a number of years ago. Mrs. Matthews wishes to be remembered to her many dear McKinney [illegible]

Interesting News From Collin County Communities

KELLEY

Cor. Miss Oleta Howell

Miss Ora Mae Fifer spent the past week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. N. Sanstrom.

Mrs. John Stice spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Steve Jones.

Miss Mildred Gracy of Dallas is spending some time with relatives here.

Mrs. Ora McLain and daughter, Evalyn visited relatives at Chambersville Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Lizzie Howell and Misses Oneta Willard and Irene Olds are on the sick list.

Miss Inita Compton spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Gladys Burch.

Mrs. Maud Hale and Bena White spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. E. Hale.

Mrs. Lee Sterling and daughter of Dallas spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. G. T. Shaw.

Miss Lois Simpson visited Mrs. Lloyd Mattely of Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. T. J. Crigger and daughter, Imogene, visited Mrs. W. J. Howell Friday afternoon.

J. C. and Homer Holland of Warden spent Saturday night and Sunday with R. L. Brown.

Mrs. Fred Holland and son and Mrs. Johnnie Minton spent Monday with Mrs. Ara Brown.

Needam Sanstrom and daughters, Selma and Frances, and sons, Durward, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sanstrom visited relatives in Greenville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Those who attended the quilting Tuesday afternoon at Mrs. Jim Howells were Mesdames R. M. Olds, Charlie Hale, Maud Hale, Bena White, Ora McLain, Ara Brown and Gladys Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. Steward Burch and family spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Compton of Alla Hubbard.

HIGGINS

By Gladys Reeder

Herbert Cable of Culleoka is visiting Ples Reeder.

The rain was greatly appreciated that fell Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Reeder, Gladys and Ruth Reeder, were Monday guests of Miss Myrtle Lafon.

Naomi and Wava Lafon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lafon.

Tellis Parmer of Denton is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Reeder and family.

Mrs. Thelma Cash has been sick the past week but is improving. Little Joyce Keyes has also been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Meuir and daughter visited the latter's parents of Winningoff Friday night.

Arthur Renfro, Gladys Reeder and Mrs. Perry Reeder visited Mr. and Mrs. Lic Killinsworth Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ida Cleveland, two little granddaughters, are spending a few days with the former's sister, Mrs. Gord Renfro, and family.

MILLIGAN

Mrs. H. B. Nitcholas

Payton Strickland and family visited in Emery recently.

Mrs. Davis of McKinney visited her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Falower recently.

Othe Nitcholas of Altoga visited Mrs. W. N. Nitcholas last Wednesday.

Those from this place who attended the meeting at Viney Grove were Mr. and Mrs. Dock Nitcholas and boys and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Nitcholas and son, Floyd.

J. W. Nitcholas was painfully injured, but not seriously when the horse he was riding fell with him causing head injuries and a sprained ankle. Dr. Erwin Jr. was summoned at once.

WILSON CHAPEL

Mrs. S. A. Eastham, Corr.

The revival which has been going on for two weeks was well attended. Each evening there was a splendid sermon by Brother Chambers of Princeton. The meeting closes Friday night.

The rain here Sunday will be a great help to fall gardens.

Mrs. Roy Thomas, who has been quite sick the past week, is some better.

Miss Cordelia Davidson of McKinney spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Justice and attended church services.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thomas and sons, Mrs. W. H. Thomas of Viney Grove spent Wednesday with Mrs. Tom Huton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCollom have moved to McKinney. We were sorry to lose these good people from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bridgefarmer spent the week-end in McKinney visiting relatives.

Mrs. Charlie Renfro and daughter, Miss Alta; Mrs. W. H. Cowan, Mrs. Justice, Mrs. Eula Bridgefarmer, all attended the bedside of Mrs. Roy Thomas Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas of Lowry Crossing spent Thursday night with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thomas and children of Clear Lake spent Saturday night and Sunday with [illegible] Thomas and family.

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MELISSA

Mrs. Ethel Bridgefarmer

George Graves has been seriously ill at his home here.

W. T. Haley of McKinney was a visitor here Thursday evening.

Charlie Conditt of Gainesville visited his son, Edgar Conditt, north of town, recently.

Mrs. Smart of McKinney is here on a visit to her son, D. W. Smart, and family.

Floyd Loftice of Temple is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. P. F. Loftice, and family.

Sam H. Hill and family of Mcnoon looking after business matters.

Miss Foy Walden attended the Old Settlers' Reunion in McKinney last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott of Chambersville were visitors in Melissa Friday.

Prof. Osburn Davis, wife and baby of Ponder have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Herod and daughters, Norma and Lorine, attended the picnic in McKinney Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ralph Frazier and daughter, Miss Sara, of McKinney, visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hardaway and family here Thursday.

Mrs. P. F. Loftice and sons, Clarence and Floyd, and J. E. Dickenson all went to Terrell to visit the former's husband, who is ill in a state hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bridgefarmer have gone to Fort Worth, where they will visit the latter's sister, Mrs. Milton Jones and husband for several days.

Willaim Porter is able to be up and around the room some now. He was seriously injured several weeks ago by being struck by an automobile as he was starting to Melissa to Sunday school.

Prof. D. W. Smart has been and is a busy, hard-working man. He is helping survey plowed up cotton fields and getting the farmers reports ready to go after some cash.

Mrs. Hattie Jordan of Chambersville is here visiting her children, Mrs. Mary Graves and Glenn Jordan and families and attending the union revival in progress at the tabernacle.

Mrs. George Wilson of McKinney, son and daughter, Cressie Wilson, of Kansas City; Mrs. Earl Carroll and her little daughter, Betty Lou, of White Rock, visited their nephew and cousin, Fred Bridgefarmer and wife here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bob Coffey and little daughters, May Jean and Martha Sue, have moved to McKinney were Mr. Coffey has a job at the Collin County Textile Mills. Mr. Coffey and his family have an apartment on Standifer street.

Mrs. John Davidson of Point, Rains county, is here on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Scott and other old-time friends. Mrs. Davidson and late husband resided in this community for many years, owning and residing at the present home of John Slaughters.

Mrs. Mattie Winchester of Savoy arrived yesterday for a visit with her former nearby neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Scott. She was Miss Mattie Lacy and was born and reared at the old Lacy homestead, which is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Parris.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hardaway and family were: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Hardaway and daughters, Alma Lou and Betty Sue, of Van Alstyne; Mrs. Doyle Hackney of Avery, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Dickenson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Craft.

Tuesday just after noon a young man, Cleatus Mattingly, who was working with Don O. Davis' crew of highway men, lost control of his truck and overturned north of Melissa near the bottom of the hill, south of the Thad Parris home. The truck went into a deep ditch and fatally injured the young man. Some young people in a car raised the car off his body. Jim Phillips rushed the injured young fellow to Melissa to Dr. Mantooth's office where he died in a few minutes. An ambulance from McKinney had been called and when they arrived they took the body to McKinney. This deeply deplorable accident cast a shadow of gloom over our little town.

Mrs. Eula McCrosky of Holly Springs, Tenn., has arrived for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Belle McWilliams, and family in this city.

ANNA

By Lula Estep

Mrs. Tom Knox and little son, Tommy, have been visiting their uncles in Sherman the past week.

Mrs. Ed Compton of Farmersville visited relatives here last week.

Miss Minnie Trice spent the past week-end with friends in Dallas.

Miss Zella Close of Chambersville spent Thursday and Friday with Miss Jewel Giles.

Mrs. Henry Ross and children of Crowell are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Muncey Welch.

Miss Blanche Crabtree spent the week-end with relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Nixon and children spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Nixon of Elmont.

Misses Jennie Lee and Gwendoyn Webb of Gainesville visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morgan, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Alden and daughter of Dallas were week-end guests of Mrs. Nannie Jo Greer and family.

Misses Burr and Nora Powell of Roswell, N. M., are guests of their father, M. C. Powell, and family.

Mrs. Bill Southard and son, Wilkey, of Point and Mrs. Vance Houston of Greenville have been the guests recently of their father, Fritz Wilkey.

Mrs. W. G. Strother and children, Tom Billy, and Ann Jack, Miss Mildred Strother, Williams and Robert Smith, spent several days last week at Lake Dallas fishing. They caught several large fish, one weighing eight and a half pounds and several smaller ones.

News spread rapidly here Saturday afternoon when word was received from Lake Dallas that Misses Ruby Lynn Hendricks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doc Hendricks of this place and Bobbie Dowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dowell of McKinney were missing. They were last seen swimming in shallow water near Reeds' camp, where their party was staying. They had been at the lake since Friday morning. At first an investigation into a possible kidnaping was made. But this theory was later proven untrue when at o'clock Sunday morning their bodies were located.

Ruby Hendricks was a student in N. T. S. T. C. at Denton. She had been elected to teach in the New Life school the ensuing term. Bobbie Dowell has often visited here and has a host of friends who mourn her death.

FRISCO

Mrs. W. B. Staley, Corr.

Mrs. James Muse of McKinney visited her mother, Mrs. Acker, and other relatives here last week.

Miss Edith Pennington of Austin, formerly of Frisco, is visiting friends in Frisco.

Mss Lucille Rogers spent the week-end in Mineral Wells last week.

Pat Harrison of Denton spent the week-end with Mrs. W. B. Staley and son.

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Chas. Carter, who has been confined to his bed, suffering intensely from an injured hand, is improving.

Mrs. D. B. Shrader accompanied her niece, Mrs. J. O. Nelson of Blue Ridge to Wacahachie, where they visited the former's sister last week.

Mrs. G. B. Fitzgerald accompanied by her father-in-law, W. H. Fitzgerald, left Saturday for a visit to the "Century of Progress" at Chicago.

W. T. Byrum, wife and children, with Mr. Byrum's father and sister, Mrs. Leslie Minor, are enjoying a visit in Tennessee. The trip was made by motor and various points of interest will be visited.

Mr. and Mrs. h. W. Carpenter and sons accompanied by John Carter Jr. have returned from a several days' visit with Mrs. Carpenter's parents of Woodsboro. They were also accompanied by Edwin Bergvall, who returned to his home at Woodsboro after a visit to his brother, T. Bergvall, and family.

The revival meeting, which has been in progress at the Baptist church for the past two weeks, closed Sunday night. The preaching was done by Rev. T. H. McSpedden, pastor, and the singing was lead by N. H. Jolley. This revival is being followed by a union meeting by the Christian and Methodist churches which services are to be held on the lawn of the Methodist church. The preaching will be done by Rev. Granville Walker of Fort Worth, pastor of the Frisco Christian church. The first service of this series was held Sunday night.

Several members of the Woman's Missionary society spent last Thursday in Dallas visiting Methodist institutions including the Methodist hospital, C. C. Young Memorial home, the Virginia K. Johnson home and the Methodist Mexican Mission. Those who enjoyed this privilege were: Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rogers, Mrs. Wm. M. Smith and daughter, Mrs. Charlene Winn of Cloudcroft, N. M.; Miss Maude McClusky, Mrs. R. M. Cassady, Mrs. Mattie Acker Carter, Mrs. G. B. Fitzgerald, Mrs. Roy Allen, Mrs. Ida Fox and Mrs. W. B. Staley.

NEW LIFE

Mrs. Jack Airhart, Corr.

Miss Frances Stapp of Valdasta spent Saturday night and Sunday with Eva Lou Airhart.

George Porter and family visited Mr. and Mrs. John Ray and family of Altoga Sunday.

Wallace Headrick and family of West Texas have moved into our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Virtrese Richardson and children of Valdasta spent Sunday with Bill Richardson and family.

Bugger Red and sons, Wencie and Hawk, of West Texas were visiting friends in New Life Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rule and children of Abilene are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rule.

Severalfrom here attended the funeral of Misses Ruby Hendricks and Bobby Dowell of McKinney Monday. Miss Hendricks was a niece of Mrs. Tom Airhart attended a short course at A. & M. college last week.

Miss Stella Gaither spent Saturday night and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Ross Moreland of Altoga.

Miss Evelyn Kemp of Snow Hill is visiting her cousin, Miss Frances Stroup, of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Airhart and children and Miss Francis Stapp visited Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Poor of Altoga Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Hattie Dorne and daughters of Emory visited her mother, Mrs. Mary Stroup and other relatives here last week.

Mrs. Tom Airhart and daughter, Miss Blanche and Mr. and Mrs. John Airhart and Wanda Marie, have returned home after a two weeks' visit with Jim Airhart and wife of Meadow, Texas. They also visited in New Mexico before returning home.

Miss Ruth Morris has been ill at her home on Hunt street for the past several days.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

From the Files of The Daily Courier-Gazette

(August 12, 1908.)

N. W. Davis of Jacksboro is here greeting friends and attending the old Confederates reunion.

Jim P. Dowell will buy cotton again this season at Hamlin, Texas.

J. F. Sparlin and wife of Wolfe City are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Sparlin, and attending the picnic.

City Marshal Arch McDonald of Celina is here today taking in the picnic. A fine, clever fellow and a mighty good officer.

Mrs. G. G. Lovelady, a good Altoga lady friend, called to renew her Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year.

C. W. Noyes, a widely-known McKinney surveyor, and abstractor, renews his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription for another year in advance.

E. P. Gifford and Albert Stroup, two Veronites, are conducting a stand on the reunion grounds. John T. Grisham, C. W. Russell and Charley King, also from Verona, are likewise running stands and helping to make our big picnic a success.

This morning dawned propitiously for the opening of the Ninth Annual Ex-Confederate and Old Settlers' Picnic and Reunion. The town quickly filled with a great crowd of people. Grand Marshal Tuck Hill had the crowd well in hand. The Blue Ridge Cornet band furnished music. A splendid parade was the opening event. Mrs. R. E. Bristol's carriage was handsomely decorated as were those of Mrs. W. R. Hill, Mrs. Tuck Hill and son, Clarence, and many others. [illegible]

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PERSONALS-LOCALS

Mrs. J. S. Hill spent the past week in Dallas as a guest of her sons, Arthur and Van Hill, and families.

Ed West is back in town again after taking the rest cure at his home here.

John Singleton was here from Waxahachie Monday to see his good friend, A. M. Scott.

Frank Scott of Ardmore is now associated with Scott & Cole service station in this city, located on South Tennessee street.

Mrs. R. A. Curtis and little daughter, Lena Beth, of Princeton, boarded the interurban at McKinney Saturday morning for Dallas where she visited her daughters, Misses Nell and Mildred, who have positions in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Speck have been vistiing Dr. and Mrs. G. L. Yates in Amarillo. They will visit their son, Jim Speck, in Albuquerque, New Mexico, before returning to their home.

Ex-County Treasurer Joe B. Rogers, wife and daughter, Miss Pauline, of Dallas, were called to McKinney Friday afternoon by the death of their brother-in-law and uncle, Dr. W. R. Mathers. The Rogers family moved to Dallas a number of years ago.

Prof. S. H. Horne and wife of Enid, Oklahoma, have been visiting their old home at McKinney for a few days. Mrs. Horne is a daughter of the late County Commissioner Sam H. Fox. She has a sister, Mrs. J. M. Ware, living in McKinney, and a brother, C T. (Tobe) Fox living just west of McKinney.

Farmers will soon begin to receive their pay from the government for the cotton plowed up. There will be some $500,000 or $600,000 paid out in this county.

Billie Gee is hibernating 'round town with his many friends, his left arm being all bandaged up. Was recently in an auto wreck. Been tied up in the City Hospital for two weeks. Works for George James, being a leather workman. Soon go back to work. First time Billie has not worked for years. Fine fellow. Has oodles of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Ballou and daughter, Carline, are spending a few days in McKinney with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pruett and family. Mr. Ballou submitted to a tonsil operation here Friday, which was successfully performed by Dr. W. S. Wysong. He is getting along nicely. Mrs. Ballou was formerly Miss Leona Pruett of this city.

Mrs. O. S. Scott of Chambersville went up to Ardmore, Oklahoma, Friday night for a two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Scott and Ed Scott and family. Messrs. Harmon and Ed Scott are brothers of her husband. She was accompanied to Ardmore by her son, Berlin, and a cousin, Frank Scott, who returned home here early Saturday.

Announcement was made here Monday that Hon. Maury Hughes of Dallas, chairman of the Executive Committee of the State Democratic Forces in Texas, will deliver an address Thursday night of this week, August 17, at 8:00 o'clock at Blue Ridge, opening night of the annual picnic celebration in that Northeast Collin town. Mr. Hughes is a forceful speaker who, no doubt, will be heard by a large number of Collin county people.

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COUNTY FAIRS.

"County fairs are due for a revival of interest this year, with prospects of the largest number of agricultural and entertainment expositions in years in the Lone Star state." So says A. Morton Smith, who edits the column, "Town Topics" in the Gainesville Daily Register. Fifty-eight fairs in the state have already been scheduled, with several counties beginning new county-wide expositions this fall.

GREATER INTEREST.

Indications point to better business conditions in this county, and elsewhere this fall and people are in better spirits. Folks are already "talking up" the fair to be held here the latter part of September. In fact, it looks like our own county-wide fair will be equal to any of those held in the past in this county. Start planning your exhibits at once and take off your share of the prizes when the awards are made by the judges.

THE HORSE SHOW.

The horse show again gives promise of being an outstanding event at our county free fair here this year. Those of you who have been annually attending this [illegible] horse show at the fair (in fact, it seems this applies to all of you) will no doubt have your plans made to be present whenever those fine steeds step into the ring and prance gaily to the delight of the large crowds attending. There can be no doubt that horses are coming back into their own after one attends the horse show at the fair here each fall.

AN UNUSUAL SIGHT.

A drive in the country reveals some peculiar sights—something you may never see again in your lifetime. Driving along the highway, you will see fields of pretty cotton, rapidly opening at this time. Then, starting suddenly, you will see a portion of the green cotton plowed up, row after row, amounting to 25 to 50 per cent of the crop. It's all a part of President Roosevelt's cotton acreage retirement plan, for which farmers are being paid good American 100 per cent dollars.

TWO-FOLD PURPOSE.

Roosevelt's acreage reduction campaign has a two-fold purpose, one of which is to substantially reduce this year's crop and thereby increase the price of the staple this fall, the other being to cut down the surplus, which has been [illegible] gaining in recent years.

AT AN OPPORTUNE TIME.

[illegible] at a time, when very little money is coming into the farmers' pockets, the turning loose of several hundred thousand dollars in this county should cause [illegible] generally to pep up, giving business a needed stimulus, already started on the upgrade by the N. R. A. program.

[illegible] John G. Moore, wife and [illegible] children, John Robert and [illegible] Jo, have returned to [illegible] in Dallas after visiting [illegible] parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. [illegible] in this city. Rev. [illegible] family have been on [illegible] visit in the Ozarks, [illegible] to visit in McKinney [illegible] Moore was [illegible]

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[illegible] Louisiana Street. Fresh [illegible] delicious apples, fresh [illegible] tomatoes, fresh water-[illegible] business appreciated.

[illegible] M'KINNEY PEOPLE VISITING HERE

[illegible] A. Greer and wife and [illegible] children, Willena and [illegible] of Sherman, are guests [illegible] and Mrs. J. L. Bright in [illegible] for a day or two. Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. Greer are cousins. They are also visiting their [illegible] F. C. Thompson, one of the [illegible] and proprietors of the Ex-[illegible]. The Greer family formerly lived here, where they have many friends and acquaintances, but Sherman has been their home for about twenty years. Mr. Greer's health has not been the best in recent months. They have just returned from a several weeks' stay at Winslow, in the Ozark mountains of Arkansas, where the climate was found to be highly beneficial to his health. He may return soon to remain for a few weeks longer.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to take this opportunity of expressing our appreciation to the Elliott Lumber company of McKinney for the courtesy extended us by furnishing the lumber for the seats during our recent union meeting held at [illegible].

Committee:
FIRST M. E. CHURCH.
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED.

[illegible] men, alleged to have stolen [illegible] of J. W. Moulden at Blue [illegible] Aug. 8, have been taken [illegible] by Sheriff G. J. S. [illegible] Deputy [illegible] lodged [illegible]

BURROW

Mrs. W. W. Wright, cor.

Armo Swindall spent last weekend with his uncle at Murphy.

Master Max Doyle Holcomb spent Monday with the Swindalls.

Louis Wright was a Greenville visitor last Thursday.

Misses Ruby and Jewel Houser were Dallas visitors Thursday.

Mrs. Anna Gray Davis was a Dallas visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Ewing Williams is not doing so well her many friends will be sorry to learn.

Miss Jewel Houser and sister, Ruby, were Greenville visitors Saturday.

Garner Simmons of Seagoville spent last week with Jack Gray Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Houser visited their aunt, Mrs. Dan Houser, Monday.

The farmers are quite busy plowing up cotton and breaking stubble.

Mrs. George McCurry spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Ewing Williams.

Mrs. Louis Wright spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Mays, at Royse.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Eddleman visited relatives in Dallas the past week-end.

Miss Leona Mae Crouch spent Saturday night with Miss Charline Mays.

Mrs. C. B. Mays and Miss Charline were shopping in Greenville Friday.

Isaac Eddleman attended the bedside of his sister last Saturday week.

Miss Charline Mays has returned from a several days' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Bessie Williams, of Commerce.

Mrs. B. H. Huguley, who had three teeth removed, has an infection and has been suffering terribly.

Sam and Isaac Eddleman were called to McKinney Sunday to the bedside of their sister, who underwent a serious operation Monday.

Mesdames A. L. Neeland and Neil Pennington have been attending the bedside of their mother, Mrs. Dan Houser, of Abilene, who has been very critically ill.

Mrs. Bessie Williams of Commerce visited her brother, C. B. Mays, and family and her brother-in-law, Ewing Williams, and family.

Miss Georgia Williams of Josephine visited the Misses Swindall Saturday night. She was accompanied home by Miss Vera Swindall for a few days' visit to attend the revival in progress there.

Prof. and Mrs. Elton Ballard and children, W. E., Margie and Patsy Ruth, have returned to their home at Matador after an extended visit with Mrs. Ballard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hamilton. While here Prof. Ballard underwent two very delicate operations, one for sinus trouble and the other for eye trouble. His many friends hope he will be able to take up his work when his school term begins. He and Mrs. Ballard have taught four successful terms there.

Gunter Girl Injured Friday Near Celina

Miss Gladys Steck, daughter of N. C. Steck, who lives five miles north of Gunter, is in a Sherman hospital with internal injuries as a result of an automobile accident which occurred half way between Gunter and Celina Thursday night.

Miss Steck's brother, M. L. Steck, was treated for less serious injuries and sent home. Two other occupants of the car, Miss Valera Steck of Plainview and Miss Cma Lee Carter of Van Alstyne, were not injured.

The car in which the four were driving toward Celina was forced toward a ditch when the latter of two approaching automobiles attempted to pass the first, bringing three cars abreast in a road which could accommodate but two. M. L. Steck, driving the Gunter car, turned quickly toward the ditch to avoid collision, and in attempting to right his course without going into the declivity was forced to turn too sharply.

Big Trench Silo Holds Lots of Feed

Probably the largest trench silos on record are those of Ward and Rush in Bosque county, designed to hold the crop from 100 acres of hegari and red top cane. Two trench silos, each 350 feet long, have been built. Although there were none last year in this county, ten farmers now are building trench silos, reports Elmo V. Cook, county agent.

Other Central Texas counties report increased interest in this method of storing feedstuffs; in Bell county ten farmers have built silos in the last three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kinser and 14-year-old daughter, Miss Mary Frances, of Houston, are guests of Mrs. Kinser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lane in this city. Mr. and Mrs. Kinser stopped over in Dallas to visit his parents, who reside in that city. Mr. Lane, who is the efficient sexton of Pecan Grove cemetery, and family are greatly enjoying the visit of their daughter and family, who are on their annual vacation.

Noah Hale, of Altoga, one of the leading farmers of that community, is a business visitor in [illegible]

YOUNG COLLIN FARMER MAKES RIBBON CANE

W. L. Jetton, a young farmer and regular reader of this paper, living in the Franklin schoolhouse community, eight miles northwest of McKinney, called Saturday to get a supply of labels printed for his new crop of Golden Rod cane syrup. He expects to make up probably about fifty to a hundred gallons immediately. He doesn't have a very big acreage of cane planted this year. However, his latest planting is an extra good crop, having plenty of height, size and vigor. The fine rain of two weeks ago was a great thing for it.

Mr. Jetton made and sold a thousand gallons of exceptionally high quality cane last year. He had no trouble in selling it and it pleased his customers so well that they are anxious to buy from him again this year. He went to the heart of the ribbon cane growing section of East Texas to get his pure seed to plant. He owns his own molasses mill and gets one of his neighbors, John Brinlee, an expert syrup maker, to help make up his crop.

Mr. Jetton was glad to give his neighbors what seed they might need this year in order to induce them to raise their own molasses. He says that cane grows well in this black land and every farmer can make his own supply and a little surplus to sell, if he cares to, at a very little expense, or amount of trouble.

Mr. Jetton has only a small cotton crop acreage this year, but has plowed up 50 per cent of what he did have, in accordance with his contract with the federal government to help out President Roosevelt's cotton reduction program, designed to boost the price of the staple which its growers, the farmers of the south, will get the benefit of.

PILOT GROVE FARMER DROPS DEAD IN FIELD

George W. Spencer, 65, dropped dead of heart failure, while working in a field on his farm, in the Pilot Grove community, just north of the Collin county line in Grayson county Friday morning, Aug. 4. Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, conducted by the Rev. C. C. Merritt, pastor of the Church of Christ, Whitewright. Pallbearers were Charles Kaiser, Joe Ashinhurst, J. D. Judd, F. M. Sloan, D. E. Hopper and R. E. L. Bizion and interment was in Pilot Grove cemetery.

Mr. Spencer was born May 20, 1866, in Tennessee. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Martha Spencer, a son, T. J. Spencer, and three daughters, Mrs. Pruda Griffin, Manda and Delia Spencer, and two grandchildren, all of Pilot Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Yeary of Denton, but formerly of this city, were McKinney visitors Wednesday.

Roy Caldwell, wife and two children, Roy Jr. and Katherine, drove out to Celina, Wednesday afternoon, to visit Mrs. Caldwell's father, M. V. Howell and brother, who are farmers in that part of Northwest Collin. Mr. Caldwell is a member of the C. & T. grocery firm of this city, a prominent retail grocery emporium of our city that has never allowed an issue of this paper to go out since their firm (composed of himself and J. J. Thompson) was established about twelve or fourteen years ago without carrying their advertising message or messages to the general public. The C. & T. grocery is one of the very best and most widely known and popular grocery stores in this part of North Texas.

M'KINNEY 25 Years Ago

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(August 11, 1908.)

Esq. L. L. Miller of Farmersville is among today's visitors at the county capital city.

Polk Oates is here from Oklahoma City visiting his parents, Ex-County Treasurer E. H. Oates and wife and other relatives.

Mrs. S. H. Abbott and daughter, Miss Louie, and Mrs. Lillie McKinstry and daughter, Miss Maude, are visiting in Sherman today.

Rev. Hugh McClellan, county evangelist of the Christian churches of Collin county, has closed a revival at Lebanon. He had thirty-seven additions to the church.

Adams Calhoun, city editor of the Dallas News, was a guest of his friend, Edwin B. Doggett, in McKinney, Sunday. Mr. Calhoun formerly lived in McKinney for a couple of years.

F. M. Shewmake, who lives on Dr. Thompson's farm at Forest Grove, is selling a good crop of chili pepper. He has already netted $46 from a one-eighth of an acre patch.

Douglas Gosstree and Will Oglesby are circulating a petition today among the merchants, asking them to close their doors Thursday, August 13, from 12 to 4 o'clock so that proprietors, [illegible]

CLEAR LAKE

Mrs. Raymond Loggins, Corr.

Walter Moore is in Oklahoma on business this week.

Abb Metheny is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Trammell visited in Dallas Sunday.

Miss Lois Byrd is visiting relatives in Wylie.

Several from this place attended the McKinney picnic last week.

Misses Maxie Chaffer and Opal Clayton of Levelland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Russell.

Mrs. Louis Hankey and children are visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

Miss Mildred Peacock of Lucas visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gray last week.

Nole Skelton is visiting his brother, Lee Skelton, and family of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Skelton of Dallas visited the former's father, Edd Skelton Sunday.

A two weeks' revival meeting has just closed at the Baptist church. Our pastor, Rev. Roy Stanley, did the preaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Russell and family were guests of the latters' sister, Mrs. J. C. Decker and family of McKinney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cooper of Wylie spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dunn, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hawley and children of McKinney spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Will Scott.

Mrs. Arzie Russell and children of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Addington and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGuire and family were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wade of Copeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Scott and daughter, Reba, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Blassingame of Garland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loon Housewright spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Punk Godwin, and husband of Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wiggins of Garland visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Walls, last week.

Miss Oneta Turner of Tom Bean has returned home after a two weeks' visit with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Rowl of Wylie spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Godwin.

Mrs. Pete Enloe of Branch spent Saturday night and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Abb Methany, and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sanders and W. T. Carroll have returned home from a business trip to Oklahoma.

James Larry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Groves, won first prize and also sweepstake at the baby show, as being the healthiest boy from six months to a year old in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Loggins were called to Plano last Sunday to attend the funeral of the former's uncle, Sam Cooke, who died early Sunday morning with acute indigestion.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Housewright, Miss Naomi Housewright spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Sinclair in Fort Worth.

WONDERFUL HOME—Good 9-room house, No. 916 North Church street—(paved); corner lot, 100x200; double garage, worth $5,000; can sell for $1,255; only $50 cash, balance only $17.50 monthly; extra good bargain; handled exclusively by THE M'KINNEY REALTY CO.

Miss Marguerite Melton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Melton, who reside north of McKinney, is a guest this week of her friends, Misses Imogene Maynard and Hazel Shirley in the White's Grove community.

BIG BARGAIN—1301 South Wilcox street, 4-room house, price $655, $15.00 cash, balance like rent.—McKINNEY REALTY CO., ask Dowell.

Mrs. Price Stiff and son, Judd, are home from a sightseeing trip to the World's fair at Chicago.

Bob Gordon and wife are home from a visit in San Angelo.

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WOODLAWN

By Mary Bull

Every one is rejoicing over the fine rain since Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Littlejohn spent last week in Sulphur, Ok.

S. A. Littlejohn is driving a new Plymouth car.

Jim Coffman visited his brothers in McKinney Sunday.

Miss Jewel Gray of Sherman is visiting her cousin, Ina Lee Jones.

Miss Arlicia Walden spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Clay Evans of Bois d'Arc.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Grace and daughters visited relatives at Bois d'Arc Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Roemmele and daughter visited relatives in Melissa Sunday.

Several from here heard J. Frank Norris Friday night in McKinney.

Mrs. Ada Boone and daughters, Mrs. Jack Crump of Shawnee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A Quillin and sons, Doyle Grey, and James Arnold spent Saturday night with Tom Craft and family of Wallis Chapel.

Mrs. O. G. Burns and daughter, Mary Ruth of Dallas visited friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lacy of Melissa visited Ardelle Arnold and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Arnold visited their son, J. P. Arnold, and wife of McKinney Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Moore returned to her home in Malakoff after a visit with her son and family, W. Y. Moore, and family.

Miss Betty and Peggie Giles returned to their home at Anna after a week's visit with their aunt, Mrs. Dale Littlejohn.

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Judge and Mrs. E. W. Merritt left Saturday for a several days' stay at Mineral Wells.

J. B. Crockett and wife of Dallas came up to McKinney Friday, being called here by the death of Dr. W. H. Mathers. The families of the deceased and the Crocketts were long-time intimate friends and near neighbors at Prosper, in West Collin. Mr. Crockett was one of the pallbearers at the funeral Saturday. Mrs. Crockett was [illegible]

ECK-SALMON FAMILY HOLD TENTH ANNUAL REUNION IN CITY; JIM W. M'KINNEY CHMN. GROUP PAST YEAR

A large number of relatives of e Beck and Salmon families of uth Collin assembled in Finch rk Wednesday, August 9, for eir tenth annual family reunion. goodly number were present. ey came prepared with ample od and a variety of good things eat for their picnic dinner read on a long table under the ade of the trees in the park. v. J. B. Snider of McKinney, a elong friend of these families, ked grace in a fervent prayer thanksgiving and praise to the ine father preceding the meal. l partook heartily. After the al, an informal program was rried out in the bandstand at ich Jim W. McKinney of Mc- nney presided as chairman.

Officers for the ensuing year re elected as follows:

President, Mrs. G. W. Owens, 14 Northwest Tenth street, Ok- homa City, Oklahoma.

Secretary-Treasurer, O. R. Sal- ns, Garland, Texas.

On motion of Dr. Ogle of Fris- next year's meeting will be ld at Nick Moore's camp on the st side of Lake Dallas on the cond Wednesday in August. The te of meeting is a fixed one— cond Wednesday in August ery year.

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oneer Families.

The Becks and the Salmons re pioneer families of South llin. This year's reunion com- morated the eighty-eighth an- ersary of the coming of these o families to the state and set- ng east of Plano in the old blin neighborhood. Sanford ck, who was born in Missouri, ne to Texas in 1845. He mar- d Miss Matilda Rountree, sister Voltaire Rountree, who was the her of Mrs. S. P. Coffey of Mc- nney. One of their sons, Man- Beck, married Miss Elizabeth zhugh, daughter of George zhugh and a sister of Gabe and Fitzhugh, all pioneer Collin izens, long since dead. Mr. and s. Manly Beck had four chil- n—John Beck, Gabe Beck, orge Beck and Mrs. J. W. Mc- nney, the only surviving one of number, she living now here McKinney. One of the chil- n, Gabe Beck, was twice elect- sheriff of Collin county and s one of our most widely own and influential citizens dur- his lifetime.

James Salmons came from Illi- s and settled east of Plano in 5, the same year that Texas erged as a Republic and became of the states of the union. He d to be nearly 100 years old. had three children, John W. mons, Mrs. Bowlin Cain and s. Ann Murrell. His son, John Salmons, who died about five rs ago, married Miss Sarah n Beck, daughter of Sanford ck. She died, January 31, 1893. and her husband are buried in old Decatur graveyard two a half miles east of Murphy. ey were the parents of twelve ldren, only two of whom are l living, namely, Mrs. John L. chell and Morgan H. Salmon, h of Brice, Hall county, Texas. ither of them was present at family reunion this year. The deceased children of John W. mons and wife are: Dan, Jim, n, Sanford, Jack, Tom and Pat mon; Mrs. W. G. Manyard, s. J. T. Derryberry and Mary mon, who died when a little ld. These children left many cendants. Mrs. Bowlin Cain, of the three children of the ginal James Salmons and wife, one son present, G. W. Cain, o is eighty-one years old and es at Weatherford, Texas.

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Rev. John M. Wright, pastor of shington Street Baptist church, eenville, was a guest present at reunion as he was last year. is now engaged in his third re- al meeting at the Murphy Bap- church, which Rev. J. Ben der is pastor. Their meeting in the second week and has al- dy had twenty-one additions.

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Rev. J. Ben Snider of McKinney a lifelong intimate friend of Beck and Salmons families. is always present at their re- ons. He is serving his seven- nth year as pastor of the rphy Baptist church where he has a protracted meeting in gress at which Rev. John M. ight of Greenville is doing the aching.

. L. Derryberry and wife and ir four children: Gerold, Har- , Olive Joe and Bobby Glyn re present. Mr. Derryberry's ther was Miss Josephine Sal- ns, a daughter of the late John mons of Dublin, east of Plano.

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One of the most interesting sts at the Beck-Salmons re- on this year was J. B. Turner, honored old Murphy citizen. lived neighbors to the Sal- ns and Becks for many years. Turner was born, October 16, 2, and came to Texas in 1872, has been living for sixty-one rs in the Murphy community. married Miss Louise Hefner, vember 14, 1882, in Sherman, they have always made their ne in the Murphy vicinity. They e seven living children. One their sons, George Turner, a iceman of Fort Worth, was tally shot down and killed by negro in that city about three rs ago. His body was taken k to the parental home at rphy, where the largest funeral r held at the place was con- ted in his memory. He was [illegible]

G. W. Cain, Route 2, Weatherford, greatly enjoyed the reunion of his relatives on his mother's side. He was born at Greenville, March 30, 1852, where he lived until he was 18 years old. He then went to West Texas and for the last twenty-seven years has been living on his farm near Weatherford. Mr. Cain's wife was killed in an auto wreck, June 18, 1931, near Fort Worth. He has seven living children and lost another in the World war. He is now visiting his daughter, Mrs. O. S. Beckner at Sherman and took advantage of his nearness to come down to the annual reunion. His wife's maiden name was Abigail Salmons, the daughter of James Salmons of Dublin.

George W. Owens and wife of 2021 Eleventh street, Oklahoma City, greatly enjoyed the family reunion. Mrs. Owens was elected president of the ensuing year's organization, embracing the Becks and the Salmons families. Mr. and Mrs. Owens were accompanied to McKinney by their three children, Miss Evelny Owens, Mrs. A. C. Turner of Fort Worth and Mrs. Leo Davis of Fort Worth. Mrs. Turner was accompanied by her husband. Mr. Owens was reared just west of Frisco, but has lived several years in Oklahoma City. Mrs. George W. Owens was before her marriage, Miss Minnie F. Salmons, daughter of Jack L. Salmons, who died only about one year ago. She is a woman of more than ordinary intelligence and will make a splendid official head for the family group organization during the next twelve months.

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Mrs. J. W. McKinney of this city greatly enjoyed the annual reunion of her many relatives this year. Her maiden name was Lou Beck, daughter of Manly Beck of Plano, near which South Collin town she was born and reared. Her father was born in Missouri but came to Texas in 1845 with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Beck. Her first husband was Sam Beard, a railroad man who was killed by a train at Van Alstyne. They had four children, Mrs. E. F. England of McKinney, mother of County Treasurer Byron England; Mrs. George Fleschar of Allen and Elmer Beard, a Louisiana oil operator and producer of Haynesville, that state. Her other child was the late Hon. Manly Beard, who died at Clovis, New Mexico, eleven years ago. After the death of Mr. Sam Beard, she later married Jim W. McKinney of McKinney on July 14, 1910. As above stated, Mrs. McKinney is the only survivor of her father's four children. Her deceased brothers were John, Gabe and George Beck. As stated, Gabe Beck was a former sheriff for two terms of this county. His widow still lives in McKinney and was present at the reunion. Mrs. McKinney is a half-sister of Mrs. S. P. Coffey of McKinney, they having the same mother but different fathers.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Coffey participated in the Beck-Salmon family reunion this year again. We have no better people in the county than Mr. and Mrs. Coffey. The latter had a large part in preparing and serving the fine picnic dinner at Finch park for the occasion.

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Mrs. Gabe Beck, widow of a former sheriff and a widely influential Collin citizen, was present. She was the only one of the Beck name at this time present. She has a daughter, Mrs. F. O. Board, wife of a former city tax assessor and collector and also a former county tax assessor, who also lives in McKinney. Her husband, Ex-Sheriff Gabe Beck, died August 30, 1917, at the age of 61.

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James Salmons, who came to Texas in 1845, was the father of three children as above stated. One of his children, John W. Salmons, married Miss Sarah Ann Beck, daughter of Sanford Beck. She died, January 31, 1893.

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F. J. Salmons, wife and three children of Wylie enjoyed the reunion of their relatives. His three children are Daniel Jackson Salmons, Dewey Carl Salmons and Imogene Salmons. F. J. Salmons is a son of Riley Salmons, who also lives at Wylie and who was a son of Dan Salmons, a grandson of John W. Salmons and great-grandson of James Salmons. Riley Lafayette Salmons of Wylie also attended the reunion. He is also a son of Riley Salmons and a brother of F. J. Salmons, and also makes his home at Wylie.

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Dr. J. M. Ogle, a practicing physician of Frisco, and wife helped make the family reunion a success again this year. Mrs. Ogle was formerly Miss Clara Maynard and is a granddaughter of John W. Salmons. Dr. Ogle and wife have two children, both present—Mrs. W. R. Northcutt and Miss Ophelia Ogle.

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Mrs. Owen Anderson of Dallas, the secretary during the past year, is visiting in the state of Kentucky at the present time and was, therefore, unable to attend the annual family gathering this year.

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O. R. Salmons of Garland took a leading part in the celebration this year. He is a son of Pat Salmons and was born in McKinney, February 21, 1887. His wife [illegible]

SUPPORT IS SHOWN FOR AMENDMENT

ADD G. WILSON.

City Commissioner Add G. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Choate of this city attended a statewide mass meeting in Austin, called by Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson, at which enthusiastic support was voiced for the state bond amendment, as the only means of meeting the winter months in feeding the more than a million destitute unemployed in Texas.

Mr. Wilson was called upon during the rally, being one of the many speakers at the meeting who pledged active work in behalf of the proposal.

James E. Ferguson, speaking for the governor; Col. Lawrence Westbrook, state administrator of the Texas rehabilitation and relief commission; Edgar Witt, lieutenant governor, and William Strauss, of Houston, state chairman of the relief bond issue steering committee, were among the principal speakers. A telegram from Col. Harry L. Hopkins, federal relief administrator, was also read, stating that Texas must vote the bond issue authority in order to participate further in federal relief funds. The last allotment made to this state was for August and totalled $2,877,000, bringing the total of federal donations to over thirteen millions for the state's destitute unemployed.

According to figures made available to the meeting by Col. Westbrook, the state administrator, request has been made for allotment of federal funds to Collin county by the county administrator and county board of welfare and employment for 2,675 families numbering approximately 13,340 persons for the month of August. These families are being cared for entirely out of federal funds which will be halted after September 1 unless the bond issue authority is approved by the voters of the state.

SAM H. PARRIS 74TH BIRTHDAY AUGUST 14TH

S. H. (Sam) Parris, an honored old Melissa citien, observed his seventy-fourth birthday today (August 14). He was born, August 14, 1859, three miles northeast of Van Alstyne, in Grayson county, his parents moving their family sometime later to Farmington, southwest of Howe. Then, they moved to Titus county and lived one year and a half, then moved back to North Texas and settled in the Old Highland community where he still lives on his well improved farm. His parents were Thaddeus A. and Hannah (Gould) Parris. His father was Mexican war veteran. His mother was a native of Rhode Island. His parents married in Illinois but moved to Texas several years before the Civil war broke out. His father established and operated an ox grist mill at Old Highland at which place the Wysongs and the Fosters had previously settled.

Sam H. Parris attended the first school at Old Mantua taught by the late Capt. J. L. Greer of McKinney. He was a classmate of the "Uncle" Doc McKinney, who died a few months ago at Van Alstyne.

Sam H. Parris is a brother of the late ex-County Treasurer T. A. Parris of McKinney. The county has no finer people in it anywhere than the Parris family.

Dora Evelyn and Fredna Louise Salmons.

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Mrs. J. H. Pearson and sister, Mrs. Bertha Haggard, both of Plano, attended the reunion this year. These ladies are daughters of the late J. N. Daffron and wife. The latter's maiden name was Maude Salmons. She was a daughter of the late James H. Salmons.

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Mrs. Cater Weems, who lives in McKinney, attended the reunion. She was formerly Miss Lora Smith, whose mother's maiden name was Annie Salmons, a sister of Riley Salmons of Wylie.

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As has been their custom, Editors F. C. Thompson and Walter B. Wilson of McKinney were both present at the reunion of these two fine old South Collin pioneer families again this year. They, too, enjoyed the occasion, including the fine picnic dinner and social features. They have been [illegible]

IN MEMORY MRS. R. C. HORN BY DAUGHTER

A tribute to Mrs. R. C. Horn, by her children. It is fitting that we pay a tribute to one of the dearest, sweetest, and most unselfish mothers, who departed this life on the morning of July 30, 1933.

"Mother"—What magic rests in that one word?

Where's mother? Is the first question asked by the father or the children, when coming in from work of play. Good men or bad men, it is always the same question: "Where's mother?" Some one has said "Mothers are most like God, because they love most." We feel there is much truth in that statement. There was no limit to our mothers' love. She would sacrifice for us most freely, deny herself most cheerfully, labor most uncomplainingly, endure most patiently, and forgive most freely.

Mother worked for us, looked after us, forgave us, watched over us, nursed us when sick, all this and more. There was no valley too deep, no shadow too dark, no burden too heavy for her love to bear. She always understood, when others did not. No one could smooth the troubled lines from our life as did she. All we are, all we ever hope to be, we owe in a large measure to the gentle, quiet, refining Christian influence of our sainted mother.

A writer once said, when speaking of mothers: "The only bad thing they ever did was to go away and leave us."

It's awful lonesome at our house
'Thout mother
It's just as quiet as a mouse
'Thout mother
And father looks so lonely there
At evenings sitting in a chair
It just ain't cheerful any where
'Thout mother.
It's awful hard to get along
'Thout mother
It seems like everything goes wrong
'Thout mother
'Course father does the best he can
But then you know he's just a man
And don't know how to fix and plan
Like mother.

—HER DAUGHTER.

JOHN L. ROPER DIES AFTER LONG SIEGE OF ILLNESS

John L. Roper, pioneer resident of Collin county, died at his home four miles east of Anna, in North Collin, Sunday morning, August 13, at 7:05 o'clock. He had been in ill health for several months, the past two weeks being bedfast. He was 76 years, 8 months and 3 days old at the time of his passing.

The deceased was a native of Texas, born in Cooke county, December 10, 1856. He moved to Collin county when an infant with his parents, residing here since. He was a son of the late John C. and Susan Ann (Compton) Roper. The deceased was married in 1876 to Martha Jane Hendricks, who survives. They were the parents of fourteen children, eight of whom survive. Five boys and one daughter died in infancy. The surviving children are: Burl Roper and J. M. Roper, both of Anna; Louis Roper, Kenefix, Okla.; Fountain Roper, at home; Mrs. J. S. Herod, Anna; Mrs. Pierce Mullendore, Van Alstyne; Mrs. Annie Arnold and Mrs. Hosea Luscomb, both of Anna. Forty-eight grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist church at Stony Point, of which he was a lifelong member, at 2:30 o'clock last (Monday) afternoon, conducted Rev. John Hilger, Prof. L. Dow Hendricks and Rev. D. A. Griggs. Burial was made in the Chambliss cemetery, under the direction of the Isaac Crouch Funeral home.

The deceased was a member of the Woodman of the World fraternal order. He was a highly respected citizen and farmer, a man of integrity and honor, whose passing is mourned by a multitude of relatives and friends. His obsequies were largely attended.

A representative of this office is in receipt of a two-bushel sack of white Bermuda onions from Luther Miller, tenant on the Wallace Wilson farm northeast of the city. Our representative says these onions are paid to him as a debt, which Mr. Miller promised sometime back, but is just now bringing them in. However, he says they are of a very fine quality and he appreciates them very much. Mr. Miller is a highly-esteemed farmer and resident of our county, who is quite successful in his farming operations. He is a pioneer onion grower of the county, having been one of the first to plant onions in the county. He has long been a friend to members of our office force.

Our good friend and former army comrade, W. H. Williams, Box 535, McAlester, Oklahoma, sends $1.50 check (out-of-state subscription pirce) to renew his Weekly Democrat-Gazette subscription a year in advance until August 1, 1934. He was reared in this county and is a brother of John Williams, a fruit and produce dealer of McKinney. He [illegible]

LARGELY ATTENDED OBSEQUIES FOR LATE MRS. R. J. WALTON HELD SUNDAY AFTERNOON

WIFE OF PROMINENT McKINNEY BUSINESS MAN DIED SUDDENLY SATURDAY—FUNERAL HELD IN FIRST METHODIST CHURCH CONDUCTED BY DR. SIMPSON—BEAUTIFUL FLORAL OFFERINGS.

One of the largest attended funerals ever held in McKinney was that of Mrs. R. J. Walton at the First Methodist church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, August 13, conducted by her pastor, Dr. Claude M. Simpson of that church. The main church auditorium and Sunday school rooms were packed with sorrowing friends from the city and other parts of the county and many from more distant points. Many were unable to gain admittance. The cortege of cars was one of the lengthiest ever witnessed here. The floral offerings were most elaborate and beautiful, the bier being covered and the chancel rails and pulpit literally banked high with beautiful designs, offerings from friends over the county and state. The choir loft was filled with singers with Mrs. George M. Wilson at the pipe organ and Arthur Field Heard of Sherman as soloist. Dr. Simpson's scripture lesson and tribute from the pulpit were tender, eloquent and comforting to the bereaved relatives and host of sorrowing friends who heard him.

Burial followed in Pecan Grove cemetery under the direction of the Sam J. Massie & Son Funeral home with the following active pall bearers: Henry W. Warden, Gibson Caldwell, Roy Caldwell, Byron Hope, Loren King, Will Oglesby, H. H. Neilson and Newton J. Burkett.

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Native of County.

Miss Louticia Smith was born at Prosper in West Collin, February 6, 1894, being at the time of her death, 39 years, 6 months and 6 days old. Her father, the late W. Bristow Smith, and her grandfather, the late Uncle Charley Smith, both of Prosper, were among our county's most influential, pioneer settlers. Her grandfather Smith was a prominent banker and landholder, who helped to found Methodism in West Collin, as did also her maternal grandfather, the late Uncle Beverly Rogers, who lived about five miles southwest of Prosper. She was educated at the Polytechnic college in Fort Worth and College of Industrial Arts at Denton. On October 7, 1914, she was happily married to R. J. Walton, who for several years, has been salesmanager of the Collin County Mill & Elevator company at McKinney and one of our city's influential business men, church and civic workers. They went to housekeeping at Krum, but soon removed to McKinney and resided in their home, 408 North Church street during the remainder of her life. She enter the local hospital Tuesday afternoon, August 8, that afternoon undergoing a major surgical operation. Favorable news and indications came from her sick room up until the very last; hence, her devoted husband, other relatives and many friends were profoundly shocked when the brittle thread of life suddenly snapped just before noon Saturday, August 12, and her spirit took its flight to the Eternal Home.

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Her Survivors.

Mrs. Walton is survived by her heartbroken husband and one child, a beautiful little eight-year-old daughter,Marjorie Lynn; also, by her mother, Mrs. W. B. Smith, of Prosper; two brothers and three sisters as follows:

Will N. Smith of Frisco.

Byron R. Smith, a banker, at Aransas Pass, Texas.

Mrs. S. J. Fooshee, Houston, Texas.

Mrs. Ben W. Smith, Prosper.

Mrs. D. A. Baker of Fort Worth, and a number of cousins, nephews and nieces and other relatives to mourn her premature death.

Mrs. Walton was an active member of the Edelweiss club and one of its past presidents. She helped organize the Social Workers of the First Methodist church and served as its president. Her natural instincts of motherhood were not confined to devotion to her own child and children of her relatives, but embraced all child life that she felt interested about in molding worthy character by her tender contacts and teaching. Her well spent life had the grace, touch, and interest to make an earthly home, a thing of beauty and joy—a happy retreat for her adoring husband and sweet little child. The knowledge of these things tend to assuage grief for her and console in the knowledge that she has surely gone to that heavenly home in our Father's Mansions. The sweetness of her life will linger as a benediction on her loved ones and in the recollection of her wide circle of friends everywhere.

ARIZONA MAN DESIRES SOME INFORMATION

The following letter has been received by the Daily Courier-Gazette and Weekly Democrat-Gazette editors from Albert M. Billingsley, 609 Kinsley avenue, Winslow, Arizona, which is self-explanatory. Read it and if you can shed any light on the matters inquired about by the Arizona gentleman, write to him about it:

609 Kinsley Avenue.
Winslow, Arizona.
August 7, 1933.

Mr. Walter B. Wilson, Editor,
Daily Courier-Gazette,
McKinney, Texas.

My Dear Mr. Wilson:

I am assisting a historian trace out members of my branch of the family and compile a family history of them. I am a native of Alvarado, Johnson county, Texas. My great-grandparents came from the southern states and settled in that county in the year, 1851, before the county was organized in 1854. I am making a special effort to have my family chart as complete as can be made. My people tell me that I had two great aunts to live in North Texas. One lived in or near McKinney, Texas. Her maiden name was Susan Billingsley, who married a man named McIntosh or McIntire. My people heard that Aunt Susan's husband died and that after her husband's death, she made her home with her husband's people in or near McKinney. This news came to my people along about the year 1870. The other aunt, Dorcas Billingsley, married a man named Cox, initials not known. She was living in 1880 and had children by names of Mattie Josephine, Mary, Fanny, Greenfield, Chris. C., Timothy E., Narcissa and John E. Cox. Narcissa (married) Cotham. Chris C. married Mattie —; Josephine and Mattie were married before 1880, but not known to whom. It is not known for sure just where the Cox family lived, but we think either in Fannin county or McKinney. Some days ago I read in the Dallas Morning News of a reunion of the Jackson family in Dallas county and Judge Wallace Hughston of your city would be the speaker on this occasion. I was interested in this news article about the Jackson family, having settled in Peters Colony, Dallas county, in 1847, from the fact that my great-uncle, John Billingsley, was a resident of that colony and was the man detailed to kill and furnish wild meat for the colony, he having come from the Southern states to Dallas county in 1844. I wrote Judge Hughston to look through a book, "Sixty Years in Texas," written by a member of the Jackson family and see if any mention was made of my uncle, John Billingsley, but he said there was not. Judge Hughston tells me that you have a large history of Collin county giving names of early-day settlers. I would be very glad indeed to have you glance over the pages of your history and tell me if you had people there by names of Billingsley, Cox, McIntosh, McIntire and Cotham, the full names or initials of these people and location they lived will be greatly appreciated. If you do not find any of the above names, then will you kindly refer me to some one in Fannin county, Texas, who might have a record of the early settlers of that county that I might write hoping to pick up some trail of my relatives. Thanking you very kindly in advance [illegible] that you may [illegible]

SINGLETON FARMS SHOW HERD ON FAIR CIRCUIT

With good prospects for winning many exhibition awards again this season, the Shorthorn cattle herd of Col. M. E. Singleton's farm in Ellis county left this week for an extensive tour of Middle Western fairs. Sixteen show animals and four nurse cows will make the trip under the supervision of G. W. Berry and N. E. Price of the farm staff. The herd will be housed in a 70-foot baggage car outfitted for the trip.

Expositions will be visited at Sedalia, Mo.; Springfield, Ill.; Columbus, Ohio; Indianapolis, Ind.; Hutchinson and Topeka, Kan.; Oklahoma and Tulsa and Dallas, where the herd will be entered in the State Fair of Texas. Last year the herd of ten show animals is believed to have carried off more premiums than any other ten individuals in the United States.

Col. Singleton is president of the Farmersville bank and he is also one of the owners of the big McKinney Cotton Oil Mill company and of several Collin county gins including one here at McKinney.

Tom A. Hughston, manager of a big cotton seed oil mill company in Dallas, was in McKinney Friday looking after business interests here. His son, Tom H. Hughsten, is manager of the Collin County Oil company big plant in the eastern part of McKinney. Mr. Hughston and wife lived here until about a year ago when they [illegible]

HOME OWNERS LOAN CORPORATION IS FUNCTIONING

Hon. H. H. Neilson, recently appointed attorney for the Home Owners Loan corporation for Collin county, has just received instructions from Jas. B. Shaw, state director with respect to the character of loans to be made by this new federal government relief measure for small and distressed home owners of our nation.

Mr. Neilson authorizes us to say that he will be delighted to aid and assist in any way that he can to prepare applications for prospective borrowers from this source and to give out all information within his knowledge about your particularly desired loan.

As before stated in these columns, Orlia J. Moss was recently named as appraiser for this county on homes that are making applications for loans. He, too, like Mr. Neilson, stands ready to serve in his line of duty prospective borrowers from the Home Owners' Loan corporation, which is now ready for business and ready to serve you if your application comes within the scope provided by this governmental agency in which to make loans on distressed property. Here are some of the policies and regulations governing the Home Owners relief activities as prescribed by congress:

First. Where the home is incumbered more than 40 per cent of the appraised value and less than 80 per cent the corporation will take up the mortgage by issuing to the mortgage holder bonds of the corporation. There has been some question as to whether these bonds will be acceptable to the mortgage owner. It is thought, however, that any doubt as to the value of these bonds will rapidly disappear as there is a growing tendency among the major real estate mortgage concerns to accept them in exchange. Really they represent a most desirable form of investment. The bonds are tax free, both as to principal and interest, except surtaxes, estate, inheritance and gift taxes. The United States government guarantees the payment of the interest annually for eighteen years. The principal of the bond is secured by the signature of the corporation; by the aggregate value of all its assets, including its mortgages throughout the land; by the increase in the value of these properties naturally to be had with recovery from the depression.

Second. The second character loan to be made is one by which the borrower pays his delinquent taxes and make improvements absolutely necessary on his home. The corporation will advance the money for this purpose as these loans will necessarily be rather small. The interest on this loan is 5 per cent and the loan is made for fifteen years amortized.

Third. The third character of loan is where the mortgage against the home is 40 per cent or less of the value of the property. This is a 6 per cent loan for fifteen years and is payable either monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually as the corporation thinks best.

Mr. Neilson has received instructions to assist the persons desiring these loans in making out their applications, but is instructed to impress upon them that these are strictly distress loans. It was not the purpose of the government to establish this corporation to go into competition with the loan companies. The loans are distress loans only and Mr. Neilson is instructed to impress upon the applicants that it is useless to make an application for a loan where the only purpose is to get a reduction in the rate of interest. The borrower must be in trouble with his loan, not anticipated trouble but actually threatened foreclosure, delinquent taxes, house being ruined by reason of needed repairs, or property already foreclosed on.

Mr. Neilson has authorized us to say that he will be delighted to aid and assist you in any way possible to prepare your applications or to give you any information within his knowledge about this loan.

W. E. and Gilbert Griffin, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Griffin of Westminster, were McKinney business visitors Thursday.

HUDDLESTON, EX-RANGER, IS FOUND SLAIN

J. P. Huddleston, 65, of Dallas, former mayor of Farmersville and for many years a widely-known Texas ranger, was found dead Friday morning in Keith park, East Dallas. Funeral services were held in Dallas last Saturday morning the funeral cortege leaving for Farmersville, where interment followed.

The deceased was for many years well-known in this county and was prominetly mentioned in connection with the sheriff's race here at one time, although he never entered that race.

A 45 caliber pistol and a note were found beside the body. The note said: "My name is J. P. Huddleston. I live at 5943 Mercedes. Please notify Bryce Twitty."

Mr. Twitty, Mr. Huddleston's son-in-law, is superintendent at Baylor Hospital.

Justice E. John Baldwin found that Mr. Huddleston's death was due to a gunshot wound, suicidal.

The body was found by G. M. Davis, Route 3, an employe of the park. Two tennis players at the park, W. L. Allen, 4712 Gaston, and V. C. Norton, 4912 Goodman, heard a shot early in the morning but thought it was some one hunting rabbits in the near-by woods.

Mr. Huddleston, who was a Texas ranger until the present State administration took office, had spells of despondency since he was poisoned about four years ago, said Mr. Twitty. He spent about six months in hospitals after he was poisoned at Borger.

He had held the office of First Asistant United States Marshal at Texarkana and was a United States Department of Justice agent in Dallas during the administration of Woodrow Wilson.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Beulah T. Huddleston and three daughters, Mrs. Twitty and Mrs. George T. Lobb of Dallas and Mrs. H. A. Morton of Muskogee, Ok.

Active pallbearers were Former Ranger Capt. Tom Hickman of Fort Worth, Hamp Russell, Charlie Stinebaugh, J. L. Chapman and Fred Pendleton, Dallas; W. M. Jones, Houston.

Honorary pallbearers were former members of Company B, Texas Rangers, of which Mr. Huddleston was a former member.

Baptizing West Of City Largely Attended Sunday

A large crowd attended the Baptizing at the Herndon tank, eight miles west of McKinney, at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Three Baptist churches had candidates present who were baptized. The pastor, Rev. Farley of the Mt. Olive church, baptized ten candidates for that church and three for the Rhea Mills church. Rev. G. H. Ussery, who has been conducting a meeting at Rowlett Creek church, baptized the converts from that meeting, making sixteen in all. The ministers present were Rev. Young of the Rhea Mills church; Rev. Farley of Mt. Olive; Rev. Ussery and Rev. M. F. Wheeler, both of McKinney.

All of these churches have just closed fine meetings. Rev. Wheeler will preach at Rowlett Creek next Sunday morning and evening at 11 and 7:30 o'clock.

H. D. Mouzon Sr., 4148 Prescott, Dallas, sends $1.25 renewal cash for the Daily Courier-Gazette for another three months in advance. Mr. Mouzon is agency director with headquarters at Dallas of the Amicable Life Insurance company of Waco. He has made an enviable record in that capacity. His good wife recently attended the funeral of her beloved friend, the late Mrs. R. C. Horn, in McKinney. Their son, H. D. Mouzon Jr., is also a successful life insurance agency director with Tyler as headquarters.

A. A. King, manager of the V-Z Gas Burner company of Fort Worth was in McKinney Wednesday on a business mission. He was born and reared at Farmersville. His wife, formerly Miss Fay Culwell, is also a native born Collin lady, being the daughter of Wes Culwell, a widely-known pioneer citizen of Weston. We had the pleasure of forming Mr. King's acquaintanceship while in our city.

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DEATH CALLS J. E. BECKETT MONDAY NIGHT

After about six years of ill health during which period he was confined to his bed most of the time, J. E. Beckett passed away at his late residence, 1108 West Hunt street, Monday night, August 14, at 11:20 o'clock. During the long period of his illness, he was a patient sufferer, receiving the kindest and most careful ministrations from his loving wife.

John Edgar Beckett was born June 26, 1874, in Calmyra, Mo., being a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beckett of that state. He was 59 years, 1 month and 19 days old at the time of his death. He had made McKinney his home for the past fifteen years, being connected with the American Railway Express company as agent, up until his health became impaired, about six years ago.

He was a member of the First Baptist church here, being active in attendance until ill health overtook him.

On September 29, 1902 he was united in mariage to Miss Lena [illegible] Weatherly. To this union one daughter was born, who survives. She is Mrs. W. D. Orem of Houston. Three little granddaughters, Jane, Ann and Peggy Oren also survive.

Two brothers, K. S. Beckett of Big Spring; C. R. Beckett of Dallas; and two sisters; Mrs. H. L. Thomas of Waterloo, Iowa and Mrs. G. C. Cooper, of Edmond, Okla., also survive.

Funeral services were held at the C. C. Harris Funeral home Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by Rev. G. O. Key, local Baptist minister. The funeral cortege then left for Grove Hill cemetery in Dallas where interment will be made.

Active pallbearers were Austin Moore, Clifford Thomas, L. R. Hoover, Ed Blakeman, W. C. Patterson, and J. H. Sneed.

Honorary pallbearers were friends of the deceased.

Mrs. F. G. King and daughter, Miss Roberta, of Dallas, are guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. A. Garrison and family in this city.

M. L. Vermillion of Westminster was in McKinney Wednesday afternoon. He is mayor of his little village and one of our county most influential, widely known and highly esteemed citizens. Recently he has been assisting in the agricultural emergency act administration as chairman for his section of the county. He is always patriotic and willing to do his full part.

POWELL FAMILY IN REUNION AT ANNA

The Powell family held a reunion Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Powell in Anna.

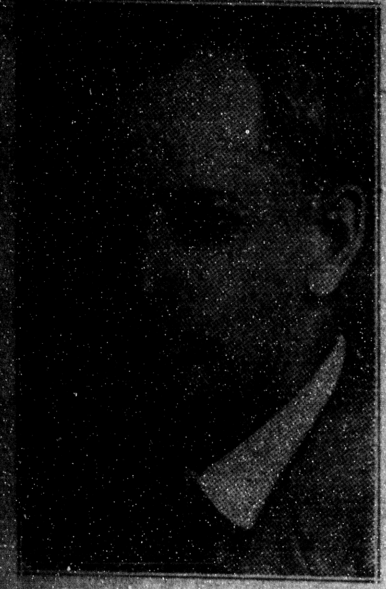
Present were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Powell, Rene Powell, Anna Lou Powell, Jessie Powell, M. C. Powell Jr., Bill Powell, Lotie Powell, Earl Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Powell Rita and Nana Powell, Dallas; Miss Nora Powell, El Paso; Miss Burr Powell, Roswell, N. M.; Y. H. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Young Powell, Nell Powell, Miss Decer Powell, Mrs. Frances Howell, Jewel Howell and Chester Howell, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hendricks, Gwendolyn Hendricks, Wesley, Frances and Mary Dow Hendricks, McKinney; Fletcher Powell, Kenneth Powell and Mary Edith Giles.

REUNION PARTY IS HELD FOR ROPER FAMILY

The Roper family was entertained Sunday in a reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stratton in the Lucas community.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roper, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roper and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Roper and children of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill of this city spent Wednesday in Plano, guests of their son, Editor A. A. Bagwill, and family.



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ROUND-A-BOUT RAILWAY TRAVEL 63 YEARS AGO WHEN HE CAME TO TEXAS; CAPT. W. H. BRISTOL WILL SOON BE 97

Capt. W. H. Bristol of this city, who will reach his ninety-seventh birthday on December 3, this year, called at our office Thursday to renew his Daily Courier-Gazette subscription. He is quite active physically and mentally, and reads our paper and other publications daily without the aid of spectacles. He is also an ardent student and daily reader of the Bible and does his correspondence and writing on his own typewriter himself.

While in the office, he exhibited some mementos that he prizes very highly in the way of yellowed pieces of paper due to age. One of them is a testimonial dated February 16, 1870, signed by F. D. Irwin, clerk of the Superior court of Burke County, North Carolina. The paper reads: "I, F. D. Irwin, clerk of the Superior Court, Burke county, State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with the gentlemen whose names are attached to the within recommendation of Capt. Bristol and know them to be men of undoubted veracity, of good standing and character. I am also acquainted with Capt. Bristol, the bearer of this and know him to be a gentleman fully entitled to the testimonial given in the within recommendation."

The recommendation referred to by the above North Carolina official of more than sixty-three years ago states "The undersigned citizens of Burke county take pleasure in stating that the bearer, Capt. W. H. Bristol, is well known to them, having been born and reared in this county. He has always sustained a fair and unstained reputation for honesty, integrity and unimpeachable veracity. He has fair business talents and is well skilled in the art of land surveying, having been engaged in this vocation for a number of years. Capt. Bristol has our best wishes for his continued good health and prosperity in the distant state (Texas) to which he is going. Given under our hands, this the tenth day of February, 1870." This prized recommendations bears the signatures of twenty-three citizens of Burke county headed by Col. T. G. Walton under whom the captain served during the Civil war. Capt. Bristol moved his family to Texas in April following and first landed in Texas in June at Halville, Harrison county, where he engaged in the saw mill business and remained for about three years before coming on to Collin county to settle at Fayburg about eighteen miles northwest of McKinney. He has virtually called Collin county his home now for about sixty years. At present, he is residing with his niece, Mrs. C. C. Cobb, 605 Foote street, who is bestowing upon him every tenderness and affection that an own daughter could give.

In making the trip from Burke county, North Carolina, to Texas, Capt. Bristol necessarily came by a circuitous railroad route as direct railroad connection through to Texas, as we have it now, was perhaps unthought of then. He boarded a Western North Carolina railroad train at Morganton, North Carolina. He traveled to West Point on the Chesapeake Bay. From there he took his wife and four children on a boat to Baltimore, Maryland. From Baltimore he traveled on the Baltimore & Ohio railway to Cincinnati, Ohio, thence to Covington and Louisville, Kentucky; then to Memphis, Tenn. Thence, by boat on the Mississippi and Red river to Shreveport, La.; thence, by Texas and Pacific railway to Hallville, Harrison county, East Texas, which was the western terminus of the T. & P. railway at that time.

En route to Texas he stopped over for four weeks in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on account of illness of two of his sons, who had been stricken with typhoid fever. On account of continued illness of his wife and one son, he stopped at Hallville, although his original destination was Collin county, where he had a relative living named Mrs. Corpening, wife of Harvey Corpening, who lived at Verona, thirteen miles northeast of McKinney and who was related to the Largents of McKinney.

At Hallville he became interested in a sawmill. He continued operating a large mill plant and building. He still has a bill of lumber that he had in his hand when the accident occurred in which he and his men miraculously escaped instant death or serious injury. Capt. Bristol said one old backwoods East Texan, who was in town at the time, said: "I will bet God Almighty $10 that he couldn't do this again and not hurt or kill somebody."

Capt. Bristol then moved his family to Collin county and engaged in the gin and grist mill business at Fayburg which village he founded and secured the post-office for it and was its first postmaster.

FOOTE

By Mrs. J. E. Smith

Miss Charlotte Parvin of Prosper and Miss Jewel Littlejohn of McKinney visited Mary Blanche Smith Sunday.

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Miss Dorothy Carroll to Weldon J. Reneau on July 2. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carroll of this community and was a graduate of the 1933 class of McKinney High school.

Henry Barlow Jr. has returned from a visit with Larris McCollum at Athens, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash spent a few days visiting her parents at Alvarado.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Settle of McAlester, Okla., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith and daughter, Mary Blanche, have returned from a very pleasant auto trip to Huntsville and Houston. They also visited the oil fields at Conroe and Tomball, in Harris county.

Misses Lucille and Jimmie Jean Settle of McAlester, Okla., have been visiting in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hughes and son, Jack, of Wills Point, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Archer and children, Kenneth, LaVerne and Joyce, have returned to their home at Quanah after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Carroll. Mr. and Mrs. Carroll accompanied them to Houston to visit their daughter, Mrs. Thelma Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Blanton of Myra, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Littlejohn and son, Grady Hill, of Woodlawn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Nash.

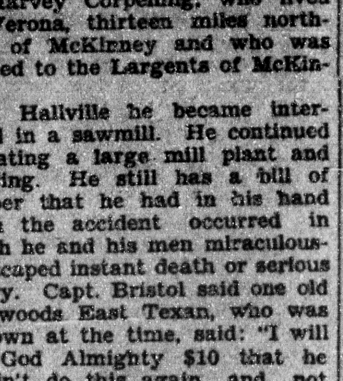
Miss Elizabeth Barlow is expected home soon from a months' visit in Cincinnati and Chicago.

Merrel Cashon, who is taking a business course in Dallas, visited homefolks recently.

A. L. Bly, who lives near Anna, called by our office and renewed his subscription to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year in advance. He also ordered the Dallas Semi-Weekly News at our clubbing rate, getting both papers for $1.50. Mr. Bly is working at the Texas Textile Mills in McKinney and comes to his work each morning in his car.

N. O. Sawyer of Canton, Texas, has located in McKinney. Desiring to become a citizen, naturally, he wanted to buy him a nice little home. So, Frank G. Dowell of the McKinney Realty company sold him a nice place at 708 Wolfe street. Mr. Sawyer and family will soon occupy same. Home owners are town builders. Naturally, Mr. Sawyer, now owning a home, will boost McKinney, as he should. Glad to have Mr. Sawyer and family as our citizens.

A. L. Craighead, a young Gainesville citizen, was a business visitor at our office. He is a son of George L. Craighead, now manager of Duke & Ayres store at Gainesville but formerly living here at McKinney, where the son attended school and is remembered by many friends. When a school boy living in McKinney, A. L. was one of the Daily Courier-Gazette carrier boys for a year or two. We were mighty glad to receive a visit from him. His mother was formerly Miss Mae Culwell, who was born and reared in the Weston community and who is a daughter of Wes Culwell, a highly-esteemed old pioneer citizen of Weston.



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(August 8, 1908.)

Miss Gladys Millar took a party of friends out to White's Grove for a picnic last evening.

Rev. R. D. Shults is holding a largely-attended revival meeting at the East McKinney Christian church.

Mary Gaddy, little daughter of E. J. Gaddy, living five miles northwest of McKinney fell and broke her arm today.

A local report is out to the effect that Kansas City parties are preparing to bore an oil well test on the farm of Bob Moore about eight miles northeast of McKinney adjoining the J. T. Bell farm.

A big barn on the farm of Mrs. Annie Davis, five miles northwest of McKinney, burned yesterday, together with a quantity of hay, corn, potatoes and $50 worth of harness, belonging to Walter Hern, tenant on the place.

Misses Bertha and Dorothy Wilcox gave an enjoyable children's party at 7 o'clock last evening at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox. The event was in honor of their cousins, Master Frank and Forrest Daniels of [illegible] and Sheppard King [illegible]

ALLEN

Miss Edna Kathryn Leach has gone to Yoakum for a visit with her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bell, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cundiff were Dallas visitors, Friday.

O. C. (Red) Christie and family of Quanah spent the week-end with relatives here and at McKinney.

Miss Leslie Ogle has returned from a visit to Justin.

Tom Beverly Cherry of Dallas was a guest of his cousin, James Tucker.

Mrs. J. E. Collins and daughter, Eloise of Dallas are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reece.

Mrs. E. L. Boren has returned from a visit to her daughter at Farmersville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Pistol of Justin spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reece.

Misses Doyce and Obed Beene visited in Waco Sunday.

Miss Julia Mae Thomas of Denison visited her uncle, Arthur Bridges and family this week.

Misses Frances and Helen Whisenant of Plano and Rebecca Whisenant of Dallas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Whisenant.

Miss Jessie Rankin of Bois d' Arc is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jim Rankin.

Violet Grove No. 498 Woodmen Circle will meet Thursday, August 17 at the Woodman Hall at 3 o'clock. Those attending the encampment at Corpus Christi will give their reports.

Mrs. Orville Bowery and son, Richard, of Dallas, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Giddings.

Mrs. D. G. Melton and son, Ernest, were shopping in Dallas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cain gave a dining Sunday honoring the birthday of Mrs. C. A. Cain. Those attending were: Mrs. D. L. Keatts, Ralph Keatts and wife of Dallas; C. A. Cain and family, Mrs. J. P. Cain and granddaughter, Marie, of McKinney; Frank Dugger and family; Mr. and Mrs. Cy Heifner and son, Furman of Allen and Mrs. Lemuel Dugger and family of Melissa.

W. C. Hagy and family of McKinney were Allen visitors Sunday.

Miss Edith Godwin is visiting in Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Wetsel spent Sunday with their son, Henry Wetsel and family near Wetsel.

Rev. McSpadden and family and Mrs. H. T. Yeatts of Frisco; Mr. and Mrs. Van Wood of McKinney; Mrs. Harvey and daughter, Ruth; Misses Fannie Lou and Anabell Bryan. Frances and Helen Whisenant of Plano were among the out-of-town visitors at services in Allen Tuesday night.

FORMER PASTOR OCCUPIED HIS OLD PULPIT

Rev. W. D. Thompson, presiding elder of the Muskogee, Oklahoma, district, preached at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning at the First Methodist church in McKinney, and his daughter, Miss Emily Louise Thompson, was soloist. Rev. Mr. Thompson, wife and two children, Dr. Wesley D. Thompson Jr. and Miss Emily Louise were all guests of Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Houston for dinner. They met numerous friends during their brief stay here, where they formerly lived for seven years, three of which Rev. Mr. Thompson was pastor of the First church and four years he spent as presiding elder of the McKinney district. Their son, Dr. Wesley D. Jr., was born in McKinney. He is a very promising young doctor who is serving his interneship at a hospital in Philadelphia, but is now on a brief visit to his parents and sister, at Muskogee. They had been to Dallas visiting Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Walter C. Temple, and husband.

While in our city, Rev. Mr. Thompson called on R. J. Walton to offer personal sympathy in the sudden death of his wife the day before and whose funeral was to be preached in Rev. Mr. Thompson's former church here at 4 o'clock that afternoon.

Prof. J. W. Akin of Wylie was here Thursday. He has been superintendent of the Wylie High school for several years. He is one of the oldest teachers in the county.

Roy Dunn and wife of Amarillo recently spent a few hours in McKinney, as guests of V. C. (Chuck) Hitchcock and other friends. They had been on a business trip to Fort Worth and were en route to their home in Amarillo, where Roy is connected with a big flour mill. Roy will be remembered in McKinney, where he spent his childhood and attended public school. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunn, formerly of McKinney.

J. B. (Burk) Crockett, one of the state's most efficient civil engineers and a business man of Dallas, is in McKinney attending the Dr. W. R. Mathers funeral and burial. Mr. Crockett is a son of Mrs. R. E. Crockett of this city, but he was born and reared at Prosper. His business takes him about extensively over the state. In his opinion, Texas will make an excellent cotton crop this year despite the fact that the state has plowed up, or is plowing up a little more than one-fourth of its cotton. Mr. Crockett says that the territory around Amarillo and North [illegible]

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A. Hardy Eubanks, wife and niece, Miss Frances Carmichael, the latter of Norman, Oklahoma, have returned from spending the week-end at Galveston. While there, they had a boat ride out 100 miles into the Gulf and greatly enjoyed that experience as well as surf bathing and other attractions of Texas' most noted playground. Miss Carmichael who is a student in the State University of Oklahoma at Norman, is on an extended visit to her uncle's home here at McKinney.

L. W. Holden, a young Los Angeles, Calif., business man, arrived at Westminster Tuesday to visit his wife and infant son, L. W. Jr., about three months old. His wife was formerly Miss Edith Vermillion, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Vermillion, of Westminster. Mrs. Holden has made her home in Los Angeles for about four years. She and the baby will return to California with their husband and father.

L. B. Edmondson and wife of Dallas have located in McKinney. Mr. Edmondson is an expert mechanic, who has accepted a place with the Joplin garage on South Tennessee street, which concern was recently leased by R. L. Smith with whom Mr. Edmondson has been connected more or less of the time for several years past. We welcome this good family to our city.

The city council, the Chamber of Commerce and others of Bonham have made it possible for Bonham to comply with the state board of parks' program and to have one of the park sites. Five secured, including the city lake east of town. John R. Spivey, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and Albert McDonald have gone to Austin to assure the authorities that Bonham is ready to do its part.

Prof. J. T. (Doc) Rollins will attend the coaching school at Texas A. & M. college, which begins Aug. 21. Coach Rollins has been head of the McKinney High school football and track activities for four years, being an excellent leader and trainer of young athletes. He is looking forward to a good football season here this fall. He has a fast backfield coming back, with a mediocre line, which he hopes to build up. It will be the second year of play at Fitzhugh Newsome stadium, built here last summer. The Lions will have a hard schedule this year, including a game with Greenville, in Greenville, October 13. The conference season will be opened with Sherman here.

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Hon. W. Fred Duncan, prominent Wylie attorney, had business here Thursday.

Miss Mary McDonald is home from a visit to her sister, Mrs Dana McShan of Bryan.

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